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6:00 a. m. Westport....	5:00
6:15.....Sardinia.....	3:05
6:40.....Elizabeth.....	2:30
6:50.....Seymour.....	1:45 p. m.
7:00.....Freetown.....	12:03 p. m.
9:15.....Kurtz.....	11:47
10:05.....Holtzville.....	11:00
Arrive 10:33.....Bedford, Lv. 10:35	
Leave 12:30 p. m. Bedford, Ar. 7:50	
1:50.....Indiana Sp. 6:25	
2:55.....Odon.....	5:30
Arrive 6:00.....Elletts.....	5:00 a. m.

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SENATE AND HOUSE

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CUBAN QUESTION LAID ASIDE.

Senator Pettigrew's Resolution Taken Up and the South Dakota Man Made a Savage Onslaught on the Pacific System in General—House Passes the Legislative Appropriation Bill.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—The senate was unexpectedly diverted yesterday from Cuba to the Pacific railroads. An unusually large crowd was in the galleries anticipating that Mr. Vest would continue his speech on the attitude of Mr. Olney toward the Cameron resolution. The interest this had awakened was shown by the presence in the diplomatic gallery of First Assistant Secretary of State Rockhill, who is next in rank to Mr. Olney in state affairs, and who has had special charge of the reports coming from consuls in Cuba. The foreign delegation also was well represented. Soon after the session opened Mr. Pettigrew of South Dakota called up his resolution relative to the trust notes of the Pacific railroad. The senator made a savage onslaught on the Pacific railroad system in general, charging that a combination of private interests was seeking to absorb the roads and close out the government. This opened the entire question and Mr. Morgan of Alabama followed with a bitter arraignment of the Pacific roads, charging them with fraud and crime on a gigantic scale. The speech lasted until shortly before the morning hour expired, thus sending over the question until after the holidays.

Mr. Call secured the adoption of a resolution asking the secretary of state for information relative to the killing of Charles Gavin, an American citizen, by the Spanish forces in Cuba. Further than this the session was uneventful and the senate adjourned until after the holidays.

PASSED THE HOUSE.

Legislative, Executive and Judicial Appropriation Bill.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—The house yesterday passed the legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill and then adjourned for the holiday recess. This is the first time in the history of congress that the legislative bill has been passed before the holidays. The day was devoted to the annual debate of the civil service law and as usual the attempt to strike out the provision for the commission was overwhelmingly defeated. There was a good deal of threshing over old straw and sparring for political points. Mr. Brosius, chairman of the civil service committee, defended the law. Mr. Settle (Rep., N. C.) made the motion to strike out the paragraph relating to civil service which was defeated by a vote of 29 to 63. The bill as passed carried \$21,669,369.02, or \$36,279 more than the current bill.

GOOD ROADS MATTERS.

Charles F. Johnson Summoned to Washington For Consultation.

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—Charles Freeman Johnson of San Francisco, special agent of the United States office of road inquiry, department of agriculture, and acting secretary of the national league for good roads, is here at the request of General Roy Stone, chief of road inquiry office, to attend a meeting for consultation on good roads matters with persons interested in this project. The object of this meeting is to perfect arrangements for the more complete organization of the national league for good roads and the publication of an official organ of the good roads movement of the United States.

Mr. Johnson's special duties are the collection and dissemination of information relating to public roads of the United States. He will work in cooperation with the United States government and also with the national league for good roads, and his position in the league will be that of national organizer. Branch offices will be opened in New York, Atlanta, Chicago, Milwaukee, Omaha and San Francisco, which will co-operate with the Washington office, having full supply of literature published by the government.

RAILWAY MILEAGE.

Number of Miles of New Roads Constructed During the Year.

CHICAGO, Dec. 23.—Only 1,802 miles of railway lines were built in the United States in 1896. This is one mile less than the total reported for 1895, and is the smallest mileage built in any year since 1875. The number of lines on which this track was laid is 168, which is 11 less than the number of new lines added in the previous year. Track was laid in 38 of the 49 states and territories. The longest mileage was built in California, 187 miles, on eight lines.

PROTESTED TEMPLE'S CONSECRATION.

LONDON, Dec. 23.—During the ceremony yesterday of the consecration of Rt. Rev. Frederick Temple, D.D., as archbishop of Canterbury, at Bow church, Rev. Mr. Brownjohn rose and protested against the consecration on the ground that Dr. Temple was a self-confessed believer in the doctrine of evolution and that this doctrine was incompatible with fidelity to the book of common prayer and the articles of religion. The royal commissioners declined to hear Rev. Mr. Brownjohn.

IS IN SOUTH AFRICA.

CLEVELAND, Dec. 23.—About a year and a half ago Charles G. Anderson, captain of a fire engine company in this city, disappeared after he had borrowed about \$1,000 from friends and had drawn the monthly pay of his entire company. He was traced to Pittsburgh, but there the track was lost. It has just been learned that Anderson is in Bechuanaland, South Africa, where he is employed as a policeman. He was in transit during the Jameson raid.

HANNA'S SON AGAIN SUED.

CLEVELAND, Dec. 23.—Dan R. Hanna, son of Hon. M. A. Hanna, has been again sued on an election bet. He was charged \$250 with Allen A. Armstrong that McKinley would carry Ohio by more than 50,000. The money was turned over to Hanna by the stakeholder. Armstrong makes the point that Bryan should be credited with the people's party vote as well as with the Democratic vote. Mr. Hanna settled the other suit out of court.

THE CHANGE OF LIFE.

Intelligent Women Prepare for the Trying Ordeal.

A Time When Women Are Susceptible to Many Dread Diseases.

The anxiety felt by women as the "change of life" draws near, is not without reason. When her system is in a deranged condition, or she is predisposed to apoplexy, or congestion of any organ, it is at this period likely to become active and with a host of nervous irritations, make life a burden.



Such warning symptoms as sense of suffocation, headache, dizziness, palpitation of the heart, sparks before the eyes, irregularities, constipation, variable appetite, weakness and inactivity, dizziness, etc., are promptly heeded by intelligent women who are approaching the period in life where woman's great change may be expected. Thousands at this critical time consult Mrs. Pinkham, and conduct their habits according to her advice, and with the Vegetable Compound go through that distressing time with perfect safety and comfort. Mrs. W. L. Day, of Bettsville, Ohio, says:—

"When all else failed, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound saved my life. It carried me through the change of life all right, and I am now in good health. It also cured my husband of kidney trouble."

shall receive actual expenses for travel and subsistence.

LANDS GIVEN TO MINNESOTA.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—An unusually large amount of land was given to the states of Minnesota and North Dakota yesterday. Minnesota gained 69,681 acres in Duluth district by the approval of a swamp list and North Dakota gained 51,267 acres by the approval of lists of lands for purposes of the deaf and dumb, schools of mines, reform schools, state normal school and agricultural colleges.

QUARTERLY PENSION PAYMENT.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—The secretary of the interior has issued a requisition on the treasury for \$10,800,000 for next month's quarterly pension payment. The amount is divided as follows: Pittsburgh, \$1,775,000; Milwaukee, \$1,895,000; Des Moines, \$2,100,000; Concord, N. H., \$700,000; Chicago, \$2,750,000; Buffalo, \$1,600,000.

EX-CONGRESSMAN HARRIS' FUNERAL.

WELLINGTON, O., Dec. 23.—The funeral of ex-congressman Rowell G. Harris was held at the First Congregational church here yesterday and was attended by a large number of old friends of the deceased. Touching remarks were made by Rev. A. E. Wall, the pastor, and by W. R. Wean of Webster and S. S. Warner former business associates of Mr. Harris. The burial was in the village cemetery.

INDIGNATION MEETING.

KEY WEST, Fla., Dec. 23.—An indignation meeting was held here last night to protest against the barbarous methods of Spanish warfare in Cuba and also to express indignation against the alleged assassination of Maceo and staff, and to ask what the state department has done in regard to the alleged butchery of Charles Givens several months ago. Resolutions urging congress to recognize the belligerency of Cuba was adopted.

DISTRIBUTED HIS MILLIONS.

BOSTON, Dec. 23.—The will of the late Henry L. Pierce, ex-mayor of Boston, has been filed for probate. Upwards of \$2,000,000 in public bequests are distributed by the document. The chief beneficiaries are Harvard college, Massachusetts general hospital, Massachusetts institute of technology, museum of fine arts and Massachusetts homeopathic hospital which gets \$50,000 each.

KATE FIELD'S BODY ARRIVES.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 23.—The steamer Belgic arrived yesterday from Hong Kong and Yokohama via Honolulu, bringing to port the remains of Miss Kate Field. The funeral services will take place at Trinity Episcopal church next Sunday afternoon and the body will be immediately afterward conveyed to the crematory, where it will be incinerated.

DYING IN POVERTY.

CLEVELAND, Dec. 23.—Mrs. Hanna M. Hilton, widow of the late Hanna George H. Hilton, once a prominent lawyer in Cincinnati, was found last night on her deathbed in this city, where she is living in poverty. Mrs. Hilton is 63 years of age and has been a helpless invalid for two years.

SENATOR ALLISON DENIES IT.

DUBUQUE, Ia., Dec. 23.—Senator Allison denied yesterday that he was to enter the cabinet of Major McKinley. "I have not been offered any position by Mr. McKinley," he said, "nor has anybody else offered me any position of any kind."

FORGOT PRESIDENT OF A BANK.

QUINCY, O. T., Dec. 23.—J. O. Miller, who has been convicted of counterfeiting at New Orleans, was president of the First National Bank of Blackwell, O. T., and was a son of G. W. Miller, a prominent cattleman of the Cherokee strip.

MORE BANK FAILURES

Two St. Paul Institutions in the Examiner's Charge.

WINDY CITY'S BANK TROUBLES.

Warrants Out For E. S. Dreyer and Robert Berger For Embezzlement—Sixty-Day Notice Served on Depositors of the Illinois Trust and Savings Bank—Two Elevator Firms Make Assignments.

ST. PAUL, Dec. 23.—State Bank Examiner Kenyon yesterday took possession of the Bank of Minnesota and as a result of the closing of this bank the Union Stockyard's bank also closed. The Bank of Minnesota's capital is \$2,000,000 and it was considered one of the strongest banks in the west. Judge Otis, of the Ramsey county district court, last night agreed to appoint Frank Seymour, cashier of the Merchant's National bank, and an attorney not yet decided on, to be receivers of the Bank of Minnesota, which closed its doors yesterday. The state bank examiner is in charge of the bank pending such appointment, and after making an examination of affairs said he did not consider the failure a bad one, but expected the bank would resume business before long. The officers of the bank say that they had been hoping to carry the institution through the hard pressure of the winter but had found it too great a task and had concluded to call in the state bank examiner and have him take charge.

Their action may have been influenced by the clearing house, which sent word for them not to clear yesterday for the bank closed soon after receiving the notice. The bank of Minnesota was the oldest in the city and one of the best known throughout the northwest. It had many correspondents, among them being the National bank of Illinois, but it was stated last night that the failure of the big Chicago bank had nothing to do with the closing of this concern. The small bank at the stock yards that closed as a result of the other failure was a branch of the bank of Minnesota, but no other local banks are at all affected by the failure.

CHICAGO BANK FAILURES.

Excitement Has Almost Died Out in the Windy City.

CHICAGO, Dec. 23.—The failures of Angus & Grindale, general contractors; the American Brewing, Malt and Elevator company; the George A. Weiss Elevator company; and the George A. Weiss, individually, all of these being due to the collapse of the National Bank of Illinois, and small runs on three banks were the echoes yesterday of the bank failures of the day before.

Runs were made on the Garden City Banking and Trust company, the Hibernian Savings bank and the Illinois Trust and Savings bank, and none of the runs was of much importance. The officers of the Garden City Banking and Trust company had expected that a run would be made upon their institution and were ready to meet it. They threw open the doors of the bank an hour earlier than usual, as they said they wanted to get the run out of the way so that they could transact their usual business without being disturbed.

Quite a crowd of depositors had gathered at the doors before they were opened, and as soon as the bank was ready for business the depositors gave the paying tellers all they cared to do. The run kept up with energy for an hour and then died away. At the close of banking hours the officers of the institution announced that during the day the amount of money taken in was not as large as they had feared, and that the bank was in better shape than at the opening of the doors in the morning. The run on the Hibernian Savings bank was a short duration, as the officers declined to make any statement on the deposits unless given the legal 60 day notice.

A slight run was made on the Illinois Trust and Savings bank but the bank served the 60-day notice, which prevented depositors drawing more than \$100 and the run ceased. The bank is

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FIRE IN A PRISON.

Two Buildings of the New York State Reformatory Burned.

ELMHURST, N. Y., Dec. 23.—Fire last night destroyed two buildings at the state reformatory, entailing a loss of about \$100,000. The buildings destroyed were occupied by the F. H. Mills company, which manufactured plumb and cabinet supplies. After the convicts had left the building the watchman noticed the flames. The fire engine at the reformatory was put at work and two steamers were sent up from the city, but it was nearly three hours before the flames were under control.

There was great excitement among the convicts and every corridor was doubly guarded.

IMPORTANT ARREST.

Joseph Harris Taken In at Monmouth, Ills., Wanted For Arson.

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—The police of every important city in the country have for more than a year been on a lookout for Joseph L. Harris, who was arrested at Monmouth, Ills., yesterday. Harris was indicted in July, 1895, for arson in the third degree. He was formerly in the furniture business in this city. His store was burned, the alleged loss was \$192,000, partly covered by insurance. There was a hitch when an effort was made to collect the insurance, and Harris became frightened and fled.

A reward of \$2,500, \$1,500 of which is to be paid on Harris' arrest and \$1,000 upon his conviction, has been offered by the insurance companies which stand behind the prosecution of the members of the Schoenholz gang of firebugs, who operated extensively in New York a few years ago.

TELEGRAPH BREVITIES.

At Spokane, Wash., Theodore Cushing, a wealthy farmer, has been sentenced to the penitentiary for life for murder. Ex-Congressman W. H. Hatch is lying at the point of death at his home near Hannibal, Mo. He is suffering from Bright's disease.

Jerome J. Bick, postmaster at Clapper, Monroe county, Mo., has been indicted by the United States grand jury on a charge of false cancellation of stamps.

Robert A. Smith, largely interested in the Minnesota bank, which failed yesterday, was appointed postmaster by Cleveland and confirmed by the senate Monday. Frank Ashley was convicted at Detroit yesterday of the murder of James Magee and sentenced to imprisonment for life. It was the second trial. Ashley called Magee to his door and shot him down.

SINGULAR CIRCUMSTANCES.

Outlines of a Man's Face Gradually Appear on a Mirror.

BOURBON, Ind., Dec. 23.—A blur became noticeable on the face of a large plate-glass mirror recently purchased and hanging in the office of Dr. Malachett, which gradually changed until it assumed the outlines of a man's face. The picture is now well defined, with a small, well trimmed imperial on the chin, the mouth overhung with a large mustache. The forehead is over shadowed by stray, disheveled locks, the whole making the picture of a distinguished looking man, foreign in aspect and fierce in expression. Hundreds of people have viewed the mirror, none of whom can account for the phenomenon.

JEALOUS HUSBAND'S DEED.

James Preston Shoots His Wife, Her Son and Himself.

CINCINNATI, Dec. 23.—James Preston, aged 40, shot his wife Amanda, aged 37, the latter's son, William Bryant, aged 19, in the residence of Mrs. Preston yesterday, and then shot himself. Preston is a farmer near North Richmond, O. His wife left him some time ago and came to this city, taking quarters with her son and making a living at dressmaking. Preston followed his wife and tried to effect a reconciliation.

It is evident that Preston was actuated by motives of jealousy, as he had in his possession a letter written to his wife by another man.

OHIO NAVAL RESERVE.

LIMA, O., Dec. 23.—John K. Brice, brother of Senator Brice, has been offered the command of the Ohio naval reserve, which is being organized at Cleveland. Toledo and other cities on Lake Erie. He served in Annapolis a number of years, and is thoroughly posted on naval matters and is a thorough civil engineer. It is very probable that he will accept the offer.

TONGUE PARALYZED.

MUNCIE, Ind., Dec. 23.—Dr. Crouse, a popular physician of Union City, was leaving a train at Indianapolis for his home, when his tongue suddenly became paralyzed, and he now has no use of the member. When Muncie was reached an attempt was made to get a doctor, but none could be secured. Dr. Crouse was much alarmed.

DRANK WOOD ALCOHOL.

MATTOON, Ills., Dec. 23.—Two young men are dead and several others are under the care of physicians with little hope of recovery from drinking wood alcohol mixed with water, sugar and cinnamon drops. The alcohol itself is a poison and the wonder is that they are not all dead.

TO FIGHT FOR CUBA.

DEFIANCE, O., Dec. 23.—Three companies of Cuban recruits are being organized here and at Napoleon and Paulding. Thirty-seven men have joined the company here and they are partially armed and equipped. They are being drilled nightly. They expect to join the Ohio legion, which is a part of the command of General Gomez.

SUGAR HOUSE BURNED.

WHITE CASTLE, La., Dec. 23.—Mrs. J. Supple's sugar house on Catherine plantation was totally destroyed by fire yesterday together with 3,500 barrels of sugar. The sugar house cost \$140,000; insurance, \$50,000. There are 3,000 tons of cane in the fields.

AMNESTY GRANTED.

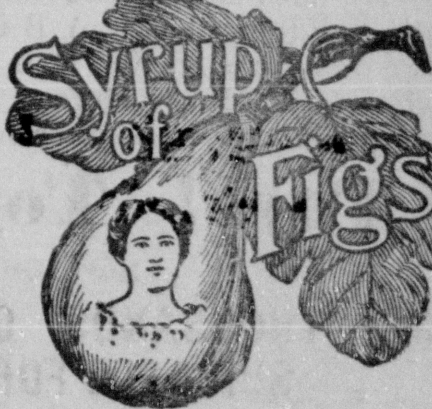
CONSTANTINOPLE, Dec. 23.—An irade has been issued granting amnesty to all Armenian prisoners except those sentenced to death for murder. The terms of the amnesty include about 100 Armenians under sentence of death for other offences than murder.

NEWSPAPER SOLD AT AUCTION.

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 23.—The property of the Kansas City World was sold at auction yesterday for \$30,000 to Bernard Corrigan, a local capitalist, on a mortgage covering the plant.

WEATHER.

Indiana and Illinois—Fair; colder. Ohio—Fair, preceded by snow; colder.



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If in the enjoyment of good health, and the system is regular, laxatives or other remedies are than not needed. If afflicted with any actual disease, one may be commended to the most skillful physicians, but if in need of a laxative, one should have the best, and with the well-informed everywhere, Syrup of Figs stands highest and is most largely used and gives most general satisfaction.

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1 lot capes worth \$6.50 for.....	\$4.75.
1 lot capes worth \$4.00 for.....	\$3.75.
1 lot capes worth \$7.50 for.....	\$5.75.
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BOTH houses of congress have adjourned for the holiday vacation. They will begin for business again on January 5.

THE death of Maceo if filling the Cubans with new energy and determination to avenge the death of their gallant leader.

THE silence of David B. Hill for the past four months has been a surprise to his closest friends. His accomplishments are even greater than they had known.

THE conflict between Secretary Olney and the senate committee on foreign relations is resulting in some very diligent study of international law. This information will not come amiss for our law makers

THE gist of the matter is put thus by the Inter Ocean: "The naked facts are that whenever we have enjoyed prosperity; whenever protection has been withdrawn adversity has invaded us."

ONE good old farmer still insists that the rise in the price of wheat before the election was due to its being cornered by Hanna for election purposes. Well Hanna must be a pretty good friend to the farmers for keeping the price up for so long.

GOVERNOR MATTHEWS is very much opposed to the sound money democrats being appointed on the boards of the state institutions. He knows that it will be impossible to hold the popocrats in line when they find the spoils of office are taken from them. He understands the average popocratic heart too well.

PRESIDENT SMART, of Purdue university, has filed his annual report with the governor. As usual he asks for a large appropriation from the legislature, \$54,000 this time. The amount of money the state pays to her educational institutions is something enormous. A few lessons in business economy should be taught to these educators.

SECRETARY CARLISLE estimates that for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1897 the deficit will be \$94,500,000 and for the year ending June 30, 1898 the deficit will be \$45,718,970. Yet he believes that some day the present law will yield sufficient revenue to pay the government's expenses. In the meantime, however the patient may die from the treatment.

A FEW weeks ago General Lew Wallace said that it was unbecoming in a man to be a candidate for United States senator, that the office should seek the man and not the man the office. Now his friends give out the information that headquarters are to be opened in the general's interest. Time seems to have changed his opinion.

TAXPAYERS of Indiana would a great deal rather see \$1,000,000 applied on the principal of the state debt than to see that amount of money spent in a centennial exposition just now. Indiana citizens are proud of their state and her achievements, but they will feel prouder of a business policy that will reduce her indebtedness than of a vain glorious policy which will make a display of her resources at a time when they can ill afford it.

THE benevolent and penal institutions will ask for increased appropriations from the legislature. Yet their reports indicate that the inmates of the institutions were well cared for, properly fed and clothed and in some instances the work was better done than in previous years. The republican legislature two years ago made a good record for economy and we believe the incoming body will do equally well. It was that economy which allowed the payment of \$800,000 of the principal of the state debt during the past year. The people are pleased with a financial management that gives a prospect of wiping out the state debt and thus ultimately reducing the rate of taxation.

CASTORIA.

Dr. Miles' Pain Pills cure Neuralgia.

Dr. Miles' Pain Pills stop Headache.

THE horsehoers of the state have formed a union and will ask that the legislature pass a law exacting certain qualifications from those engaging in their trade.

MCKINLEY finds plenty of good tall timber in the republican ranks from which to select his cabinet. And there is plenty more that would like to be accounted as cabinet timber.

THE majority of the American people expect a change in condition of affairs after McKinley's inauguration, but the silver senators are doing their best to bring embarrassment and failure to the new administration.

"ANCIENT Landmarks" is an appropriate title for Mr. Bryan's lecture in Georgia this week. Wonder whether it includes the cross of gold, the Chicago platform, the egg shells which helped to gain twelve McKinley electors in Kentucky!

THE prevalence of diphtheria in many localities in the state has called for the closest attention of the state board of health. Secretary Hurty has done much valuable service in the interest of the people. He has been fearless in enforcing the health laws, and has furnished much information that is of great value especially to local health officers.

Business Change.
W. E. Hoadley purchased the J. W. Massman two story brick business property on South Chestnut street for \$5,000 yesterday. This is one of the best business localities in that part of the city. Mr. Hoadley expects to move his stock of groceries there in January. He is a successful business man and he will do much better there than where he now is.

A Valuable Prescription.
Editor Morrison, of Worthington, Ind., Sun, writes: "You have a valuable prescription in Electric Bitters, and I can cheerfully recommend it for consumption and sick headache, and as a general system tonic it has no equal." Mrs. Annie Stehle, 2625 Cottage Grove Ave., Chicago, was all run down, could not eat nor digest food, had a backache which never left her and felt tired and weary, but six bottles of Electric Bitters restored her health and renewed her strength. Price fifty cents and \$1.00. Get a bottle at W. F. Peter's, successor to J. H. Andrews & Co., drug store.

When a Debt is a Debt.
The Supreme Court for the second time has rendered a decision declaring that a city debt becomes a debt when it is contracted instead of when it is due. This time the case was that of the city of Laporte, which, after reaching the constitutional 2 per cent. limit of indebtedness, contracted for the Gamewell fire alarm system on the theory that installments by which it was to be paid for did not constitute a city debt until they became due. The circuit court also held this theory, but the Supreme court reversed the decision and held that the contract could not be enforced, being a violation of the law.

THE Indiana bulletin of charities and corrections for December shows that in August 31, 1895, there were in orphan asylums and poor asylums in Indiana, over 3,000 children under the age of sixteen years. During the year ending August 31, 1895, the number of children sixteen years of age given relief by township trustees was 34,941.

The Ideal Panacea.
James L. Francis, Alderman, Chicago, says: "I regard Dr. King's New Discovery as an Ideal Panacea for Coughs, Colds and Lung Complaints, having used it in my family for the last five years, to the exclusion of physician's prescriptions or other preparations."

Rev. John Burgess, Keokuk, Iowa, writes: "I have been a minister of the Methodist Episcopal church for 50 years or more, and have never found anything so beneficial, or that gave me such speedy relief as Dr. King's New Discovery." Try this Ideal Cough Remedy now. Free trial bottles at W. F. Peter's, successor to J. H. Andrews & Co.'s drug store. Regular size 50c. and \$1.00.

POLITICAL BRIEVITIES.
T. A. Moore, of Columbus, is a candidate for door keeper of the lower house.
General Jasper Packard says he will not make any effort to be elected speaker of the house of representatives.

CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEARS HOLIDAY RATES.
B. & O. S. W. RY.

AS usual the B. & O. S. W. Railway has arranged for holiday rates for their patrons, and will sell at low price round trip tickets from all stations to any point to any point in Central Passenger Committee territory.

This territory covers St. Louis, Louisville, Cincinnati, Cleveland, Chicago, Indianapolis and hundreds of other points.

Tickets on sale Dec. 24th, 25th, 31st and Jan. 1st. Good returning to and including January 4th 1897.

Any B. & O. S. W. Agent can give full information. J. M. CHURCHBURN, General passenger agent, Cincinnati, O.

Joseph Burkart to-day celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of his birth.

AFFLICTED.

Mrs. Ed. Corthum is improving steadily.

W. E. Hoadley are indisposed with the grip.

Mrs. John Dixon is quite sick with bilious trouble.

Mrs. Dr. D. J. Cummings, of Houston, is improving again.

Lee Thompson, of Driftwood township, is dangerously sick.

Mrs. F. H. Rotger has almost recovered from a serious sickness.

Mrs. George Binder is seriously indisposed with bilious trouble.

Mrs. S. D. Meek, who has been quite sick with rheumatism, is much better to-day.

Mail messenger George Able, who went to Cincinnati to be treated for deafness, had an operation performed on Monday, is much improved this morning.

SURPRISE

Arien Calens has opened a butcher shop in our town.

Several of our citizens have been attending church at Taylor's Chapel.

H. H. Darlage's brother and sister, of Sauer, spent a night with him last week.

George Reichenbacher, one of our prominent farmers, is building a large barn.

R. W. Rose has returned from South Bethany where he has been visiting his mother.

Rev. Harvey Rucker is attending the bedside of his sick daughter, Mrs. Stanford Smith.

Minnie, a small daughter of Annie McKain, was bitten by a pet pig, from which she has suffered considerably.

Lack of financial ability has stopped the work on Nigger Hill and though not completed it is in much better condition than it formerly was.

A Christmas entertainment will be held under the auspices of the U. B. Sabbath school Christmas eve. Everyone invited to come out.

I am no astronomer or prophet but I have been watching the movements of the heavenly bodies and my observations have led me to believe that there will be two marriages by the time the next new year comes on.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, ss.
LUCAS COUNTY.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the city of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

FRANK J. CHENEY.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886.

A. W. GLEASON,
Notary Public.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials, free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold by druggists, 75c.

Hall's Family Pills are the best.

DIED

Mrs. Charles Parsley died Friday, December 18, 1896, at Springville, Lawrence county, with consumption, aged twenty-four years. Remains were buried Sunday at Taylor's Chapel, near Free-town.

The infant child of Frank P. Scott, of Terre Haute, died Tuesday night, December 22, 1896. The remains will be brought here this evening and taken to the home of Charles W. Milhous.

HAYDEN.

A merry Christmas to all. Our sick are all on the mend.

Both of our Sunday schools will give entertainments Christmas eve.

The Mason of Hayden, will give a grand festival Thursday and Friday evenings.

Noah Sullivan bought the Conner school house and will remove it to his farm west of town.

Ed. Beatty's face is wearing a broad smile on account of a little Miss Beatty who arrived at his house Nov. 19th.

Mrs. Frank Wilkens, who was called to the bedside of her father at Washington, returned home Friday night.

Ross Graves has contracted with E. L. Beatty to build a house on his farm two and one-half miles west of town.

Chas. Molt, of Camden, Ark., arrived here last Saturday night and will spend the holidays with friends.

We have three petitions for the post office here and rumor says: two are on a still hunt. Some one will get left.

Chas. Moore and Will Swarthout, both extra B. & O. S. W. boys, left for Birmingham, Ala., where the expect to work.

Howard Beatty, who is working for Chas. Schneek, of Seymour, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Beatty.

At their regular meeting Saturday eve the Masonic lodge of this place elected the following officers:

W. M., S. E. Hedge.
S. W., J. E. Hudson.
J. W., W. E. Hillerman.

S. D., D. W. Dodd.
J. D., Howard Beatty.
Chaplain, P. B. Ewan.

Seely, E. W. Day.
Treas., M. H. Reeves.
Tyler, James C. Shields.

Stewarts, A. N. Winkler, S. D. Sutton.
Trustees, P. B. Ewan, W. B. Whitcomb, D. W. Dodd.

BACK

OUR BARGAIN COLUMNS.

A Great Reduction.

We will sell our stock of trimmed Fall and Winter Millinery, English walking hats and Tams, at Special Prices. Latest styles.

Hodapp & Wiethoff,
"THE MILLINERS,"
South Chestnut Street.

If You

can't think what to buy for Christmas, let us show you a RED ROOM SUIT. German beveled glass. Hand carved. Solid oak. Three pieces for

15 DOLLARS

The Seymour Furniture Co.,
South Chestnut Street.

Sanitary Plumbing

In all its branches. Gas and steam fitting a specialty. Satisfaction guaranteed at lowest prices.

Repairing.
WILLARD C. BEVINS,
No. 17 South Chestnut Street.

Don't Miss

This Bargain. A beautiful Wire Quilted Juvenile Slipper for

\$1.50.

Would please any girl. Married or single.

JNO. A. ROSS,
Fine Footwear.

Daily Bread

Is always light and fresh. Home Made Candy and Fine Confections a Specialty.

Bargain Prices to SANTA CLAUS.

Crabb's Cash Grocery House.
No. 118 South Chestnut Street.

Quality not Quantity.

My stock is bought for cash and is the best the market affords, and sold at prices that are the lowest for first-class goods. No cheap bankrupt stock. I am a citizen of Seymour.

W. H. SEULKE, The Grocer.
Cor. Chestnut and Brown.

Cut Roses

Of the choicest varieties. Carnations and beautiful violets at reasonable prices. Wedding and funeral designs a specialty.

MESEKE & SCHMIDHAUSER,
THE FLORIST,
No. 117 South Chestnut St.

ROCK

Bottom Prices on my large and selected stock of rocking chairs. Novelties of all kinds in household furniture.

C. H. HUSTEDT,
East Second Street.

SANTA CLAUS

Never forgets that our stock of fresh candies, nuts and fruits is complete and at prices like these:

Mixed Candy at..... 5 cents a pound
Better Grade at..... 8 cents a pound
Stick Candy at..... 2 pound packages, 10 cts
French Cream at..... 5 and 10 cts

Ireland's Little Candy Shop.
In Hibner's old stand.

The Weekly Seymour REPUBLICAN

and the Toledo Blade for one year for one dollar cash in advance.

CLEARSPRING.

Martin Thomas is rather poorly at this writing.

Prof. Browning's little daughter Ruth is on the sick list.

There is talk of organizing a debating society at this place.

J. L. Hinkle and his men went to the mill Monday to begin work.

Andrew Brown, our shoemaker, is talking of moving his shop to some larger building than that he now occupies.

George Butorff, whose illness we spoke of last week, died Sunday morning at 4 a. m., aged 60 years. He leaves a wife and four children who have the sympathy of the entire community.

Last Sunday evening about 7 o'clock the large two story frame house, the residence of John Stockwell, was discovered to be on fire. The whole town gas soon out but nothing could be done to save the house. A part of the household goods were rescued, however. The barn, which stood near the house, was in great danger and was thought by many to be doomed but was saved by the active efforts of the bucket brigade.

The fire is supposed to have caught from a defective flue. No insurance.

Studying Geography by Mail.

Mrs. Susan Benner, a teacher in one of the district or "country schools" of Wayne county, Ind., has introduced an original method of teaching the children history, geography, botany and geology. Mrs. Benner began about three or four years ago, by having her pupils write letters descriptive of the country, climate and customs. The best of these letters were forwarded to schools in England, Australia, Egypt, South Africa and other countries.

Requests were made that the children in the schools where letters were received should answer them and give information of the same character. The idea was carried out still further by sending to the foreign schools specimens of flowers, grain, leaves, stones and soil, and Mrs. Benner's pupils have a collection of specimens from at least a dozen countries that cannot be excelled in the state. The system has now reached such a state that letters are continually being received, and the result is that the pupils are enthused in the work, and have more interest in history, geography and other studies than is usually seen in the common schools.

For Sale.
80 and 50 acre farms. Good sand land, one mile from city.

J. A. WEATHER.

dist

Hoadley's Specials.

STAR SOAP, a bar..... 25 cents.
FOUR X COFFEE, 1 pound 15 cents.
FINE LARD, 10 pounds One Dollar.
A GOOD BROOM for..... 25 cents.
Many other grocery bargains.

W. E. HOADLEY.
No. 220 South Chestnut Street.

Morning Joy

Our prices on our assorted Cakes and Jackets, latest style. 25 off for one week.

L. F. MILLER & CO.
South Chestnut St.

The Model Grocery,

Phone 28 **CHAS. ABLE.**

The Racket

Store has all the latest novelties in toys, and what not for Christmas. Never as cheap as to-day. Everything in our line at bargain prices.

H. M. SCHWING.

DON'T READ

This whole paper for special prices in groceries but remember I will give you special prices on everything in my line for cash.

FRANK REUSER,
THE GROCER.

THE OLD RELIABLE

W. E. KRAUSE.

Merchant Tailors making you a Christmas present on his prices. Look at these suits for \$10.00. Warranted high grade overcoats at \$10.00, perfect in style. Trousers at \$4.00. Up to date. Every detail warranted.

The Model

Millinery parlors will sell you a stylish up-to-date trimmed millinery, for one week.

YOUR OWN PRICES. TRY US.
SWEANY & SEAMAN.

If You Want

High Grade CONFECTIONARIES, sold in boxes or by the pound; Fresh Fruits and Nuts, BEST BRANDS OF CIGARS.

For Christmas call on

F. H. GATES.

STOVES TO BURN

A large assortment of heaters and stoves. Special inducements for one week at our store.

BINDER & CO'
FINE CUTLERY FOR THE HOLIDAYS
South Chestnut St.

Say Neighbor

Wouldn't it be a good idea to give your wife a piece of household furniture for CHRISTMAS. My stock is new and full of attractions, at prices that will make you GRIN.

F. H. HEIDEMAN.

CORTLAND.

Born, to Van Mottisinger and wife, a big girl.

Samuel Rhoads is in Harrison county visiting relatives.

The K. of P. lodge will give a big supper the 30th.

William Rhoads was taken suddenly sick last Monday.

Born, to Frank Rhoads and wife last Monday, a boy.

Born, to Carl White and wife last Wednesday, a boy.

Little Morris Pruden and Claude Tindler celebrated their birthday at J. T. Pruden's by having a turkey dinner.

Gordon Hartwell has seen fit to shake the dust of this county off his feet and returned to his farm in Jennings county.

To Cure a Cold in One Day

Take laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c.

A Sweeping Reduction



NEVER EQUALLED.

Goods Must go Price or no Price.

Our large assortment of

WATCHES,
CLOCKS,
SILVERWARE and JEWELRY

Are being turned over to the people some at wholesale and some for less. Come at once and get choice of a large selection.

Clocks sold on 50 cents a week payment. Best repairing done at lowest prices.

E. M. YOUNG.

124 South Chestnut Street, Seymour

Don't Wait!
Until the Best Things are Gone.

OUR STOCK OF

Fine China and Glass,

Dinner Sets, Toilet Sets, Banquet, Vase and
Hanging Lamps, is now complete and
ready for inspection.

No. 106
N. Second St. **BECKMAN & CO**

DAILY REPUBLICAN

Ask for the best, Robert's chewing
gum.

Overgaiters for 20 cents at W. F.
Bush & Co. dwtf

That beautiful silver plated tea set for
\$7 at Harding's is a daisy.

See the line of leggings and overgait-
ers at W. F. Bush & Co. dwtf

All Christmas orders filled on short
notice at Gates' d17 d3t

Be careful in buying Christmas
dies and get them pure E. C. Becht's is
the place to get them.

For Rent—Six room house in good
condition for residence. Inquire at store.
d19 3t A. J. PELLENS.

See the line of Christmas slippers at
W. F. Bush & Co. dwtf

Boy's tan leather, and corduroy leg-
gins, all sizes at W. F. Bush & Co. dwtf

Special bargains in fine silver plated
knives and forks at Harding's price re-
duced to \$4 per dozen from now until
Jan. 1st.

E. C. Becht can guarantee his candies
strictly pure and fresh as he manufac-
tures them himself and knows what
they are composed of.

The best place on earth to buy holi-
day goods this year is at Harding's.
All goods engraved free of charge.

For Rent.
Five room house. Call at F. O.
Cox's. d15w1

For Sale.
Cottage in good repair, cor. Chestnut
and Oak. W. E. HOADLEY.
d22 d1f

To Cure a Cold in One Day
Take laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets.
All druggists refund the money if it fail
cure. 25c.

CASTORIA
The Family
Medicine

American Tea Co.'s Holiday Bargains.

Fine mixed candies, 5 cts pound.

Assorted stick candies 5 cts pound.

Hand mixed candies, 4 pounds 25 cts.

Taffy mixed candies, 7 cts pound.

Fancy creams, 8 cts pound.

New dates, 7 cts pound.

Figs, 7 cts pound.

Raisins, 6 cts pound.

Clean currants, 1 pound carton 7 cts.

Cranberries, 6 cts quart.

Finest and best home mince meat,
2 pounds 15 cts.

Mixed nuts, 10 cts pound.

Pecans, 8 cts pound.

Corsican citron, 15 cts pound.

In addition to above low prices a hand-
some rebate to every customer. Don't
wait for to-morrow. Crowds larger every
day. AMERICAN TEA CO.
116 S. Chestnut St. d18 5t

\$5 will buy a genuine American
watch in substantial case, guaranteed at
Harding's.

**Save money and buy
your overcoats at
MOSE THE BOSS'.**

2t

Cigars, 25 in a box for Christmas pre-
sents at Gates'. Also a fine line of pipes
and all kinds of smokers articles. d3t

We have a complete line of fine do-
mestic and imported cigars at the low-
est prices. GATES.
d17 d3t

Lost.—Pocketbook containing money
and valuable papers. Finder please re-
turn to the REPUBLICAN office and be
liberally rewarded.

W. F. Bush & Co. have some of the
prettiest shoes ever shown and prices
are right. d&wtf

All kind of Toys cheap at C. R. Hoff-
man's. d3w1

Our lamps are finer than ever this
year but remarkably cheap.
d22 d3t MILHOUS DRUGSTORE.

PERSONALS.

J. E. Riebey and wife returned to day
to Cambridge City.

Miss Sarah Sawyer, of Columbus, is
here the guest of friends.

Rev. T. J. Stevenson is expected home
from Petersburg, Ill., in a few days.

Miss Maud Deputy went to-day to
Paris to visit her old home and friends.

Miss Lizzie Leffler went this morning
to Cincinnati to enjoy Christmas with
friends.

A. D. Winger and wife, of Indiana-
polis, are here to eat Christmas turkey
with friends.

Mrs. M. E. Casper, and Miss Stella
Casper, of Terre Haute, are visiting
friends here.

Henry Lahna and wife returned to-
day to Vallonia from a visit to friends
at Newport.

Willard Cox and wife came here to-
day from Reddington to purchase
Christmas goods.

Mrs. Minnie Waldron, and son
Charles, left this morning for Bloom-
ington to spend some time with relatives.

C. M. Scarborough, of Bond Hill O.,
J. M. Brown, of Freetown, L. D. Mor-
ris, of Indianapolis, are in the city to-
day.

Mrs. Lincoln Durland and children
of Cincinnati, came here to-day to
spend Christmas with their many rela-
tives.

Mrs. Myrtle Davis, of Evansville, hav-
ing spent a short time here went last
evening to North Vernon to visit
friends.

Mrs. J. W. Lambertson, of Moore's
Hill, is here the guest of her brother,
A. D. Eldridge, and family, and other
relatives.

J. Ezra Thomas, of Scott county,
came here to see his uncle, C. L.
Thomas, and was glad to see him look-
ing so well.

Mrs. Harmon Bohner, of Ripley
county, came here to-day on her way to
Jonesville to spend Christmas with her
father, Cord Brand, and family.

Miss Maud Weekly, of Freetown, and
Miss Rheuedy Conner, of Kutz, came
here Tuesday to spend the holidays with
Mrs. John Klitch, aunt of the latter.

Jesse G. Weekly, who has worked
three years in Nebraska, has just re-
turned to Salt Creek township to reside
in future. He is satisfied that Nebraska
is not the state that he thought.

**You will find the finest
and up to date line of neck
wear at lowest prices at
the FAMOUS CLOTH-
ING HOUSE.**

Figs, dates, grapes, apples, Hancock's.

FORMALLY ANNOUNCED.

The Marriage of Mr. Russell and Miss Hib-
ner Made Public To-day.

Wednesday evening, December 2, at
8 o'clock, at the home of the bride, by
the Rev. Thomas J. Stevenson, Mr. W.
B. Russell, of Chicago, and Miss Emma
Hibner, of this city, were married.

The wedding was a quiet, pleas-
ant home affair and strictly private,
in order to conform to the convenience
of some of the relatives who desired to
be present, and the wishes of the bride,
who is a teacher in our high school, and
whose school vacation had not yet be-
gun. There were present Mr. and Mrs.
Len Hibner, Mrs. Martha Campbell, Mr.
and Mrs. B. C. Lett, Mr. and Mrs. Wm.
Campbell, all relatives of the bride,
Mrs. N. A. Handley, of Chicago, mother
of the groom, and Miss Jennie Russell,
of Louisville, sister of the groom.

BUSINESS NOTES.
F. M. Davis, after a business trip here,
returned to day to Scottsburg.

D. M. Spurgeon, of near Hartsville,
came to the city to-day on business.

Frank Galbraith, of Columbus, was
here yesterday to buy some lumber.

D. M. Perry and wife, of Bedford,
came here this morning on business.

The new Masonic Hall at Browns-
town will be fully completed this week.

Uncle John Raddish, of Freetown,
was a business visitor in the city Tues-
day.

Isaac Smith and wife, of Freetown,
came to the city Tuesday afternoon on
business.

Nathan Newby sold two fat cows
weighing 2,900 pounds to L. G. Heins,
Tuesday.

John Loran and wife, of near Sur-
prise, drove over to the city last even-
ing to shop.

Mrs. D. W. Dodd and Mrs. John Jus-
tis, of Hayden, spent Tuesday in the
city on business.

W. D. Weaver and Miss Kittie
Weaver, of Bloomington, came here to-
day on business.

L. M. Johnson and wife, of Washing-
ton county, came here to-day on busi-
ness and to purchase goods.

Frank Lucas went last evening to
Paris to point up the handsome brick
residence of Samuel Wright.

William H. Ewing, of Ewing, and
William Phifer, of Brownstown, came
up to the city to-day on business.

Martin L. Weekly, of Spraytown, and
T. D. Cross, of Houston, came here and
left this forenoon for Vernon on busi-
ness.

Frank Boas, a prosperous farmer and
an all round good citizen of Vallonia,
came up to the city this morning and
favored the REPUBLICAN office with a
social and business call.

W. D. Bohall, of Brownstown, came
up to the city Tuesday on business and
he made the REPUBLICAN office a social
and business call. Mr. Bohall has been
seriously afflicted for several days with
sciatic rheumatism.

Teeth without plates and the only
medicated air to extract teeth without
pain in the county. dwt
Drs. PRALL & CORTELL.

Buckwheat flour, maple syrup and
strained honey at
THE ATKINSON GROCERY CO.

House Burned.
The new frame dwelling of John C.
Wells, situated at Clearspring, was
burned to the ground Sunday night.
Loss, \$600; insured for \$300. Cause of
fire not learned.

**Save money and buy
your overcoats at
MOSE THE BOSS'.**

2t

George Schwab received a beautiful
clock from a friend in Cincinnati yes-
terday as a Christmas present.

Magic Lanterns, Steam Engines, etc.,
etc. at C. R. Hoffman's. d3w1t

Dolls and Doll Cabs cheap at C. R.
Hoffman's. 22d3w1

**If you want a fine stylish
hat and an elegant silk
umbrella go to the
FAMOUS.**

Jacob Schultheis and wife came home
last night from attending the funeral
of her mother, Mrs. Louisa Schmitt.
She died with the infirmities of age.
Her age was eighty-seven years. She
has seven children, fifty grand children
and eighteen great grand children.

The Modern Mother
Has found that her little ones are im-
proved more by the pleasant Syrup of
Figs, when in need of the laxative effect
of a gentle remedy than by any other,
and that it is more acceptable to them.
Children enjoy it and it benefits them.
The true remedy, Syrup of Figs, is man-
ufactured by the California Fig Syrup
Company only.

Toy Printing Presses, Iron Stoves,
Wagons, Cannons at C. R. Hoffman's. dw

**NEURALGIA cured by Dr. Miller's PAIN
PILLS. "One coat a dose." At all druggists.**

We are offering special bargains in
books, bibles, albums, Christmas cards,
souvenirs, fancy bottles, games build-
ings and A B C blocks.
dwtf

SNYDER'S ECONOMY STORE.
CASTORIA.
The do-
mestic
signature

Is an
every-
day
medicine

THE GOLD MINE'S
Phenomenal Sale
OF
Ladies' Misses' and Children's
JACKETS AND CAPES
AT
LESS THAN HALF PRICE!

We received on consignment from one of the largest manufacturers in the
East, 500 Garments, comprising the latest Novelties in Ladies', Misses' and
Children's Jackets and Capes, with orders to sell them at any price, in order to re-
alize the Cash on same. We have assorted same into 8 lots and cut the price on
each lot, TO LESS THAN HALF PRICE.

NOTE THE SCHEDULE

No. 1.	Choice of any \$ 3.50 Jacket.....	\$1.75
No. 2.	Choice of any 5.00 Cape.....	2.25
No. 3.	Choice of any 8.00 Cape and Jacket.....	3.95
No. 4.	Choice of any 10.00 Cape and Jacket.....	4.95
No. 5.	Choice of any 12.50 Cape and Jacket.....	6.25
No. 6.	Choice of any 15.00 Cape and Jacket.....	7.95
No. 7.	Choice of any 20.00 Cape and Jacket.....	9.25
No. 8.	Choice of any 15.00 to 20.00 Plush Capes.....	8.98

Now is your opportunity to buy a good and stylish Cloak for less than manu-
facturer's cost. Come early and get first choice.

Attention is Invited to our Fine Display of Holiday Goods.

RESPECTFULLY,
A. STRAUSS & CO.

Burned Out.
The farm frame residence of Daniel
McDonald two miles south of the city
took fire at 11 o'clock last night and
was totally destroyed, together with all
the contents, except one feather bed.
Mr. McDonald, who was stricken
with paralysis a year or more ago, was
in the home at the time and his wife
had hard work to get him out. Loss
some \$900 with no insurance. Cause
defective flue.

CHURCH NOTES.
The Christmas entertainment of the
St. Paul's Sunday school will be held
to-morrow, Thursday evening, at 7 p. m.
There will be a well chosen program.
All are cordially invited.
Christmas service on Friday morning
at 10 a. m.

Mixed nuts, all kinds, 10c. a pound.
THE ATKINSON GROCERY CO.

**Undersuits, hosiery, sus-
penders and gloves at the
FAMOUS CLOTHING
HOUSE.**

For all kinds of cheap candy, fruit
and nuts for Christmas, see Gates.

Notice.
The annual meeting of the stock
holders of the Co-operative Building
and Loan association will be held on
Monday, Jan. 4, 1897, at 8 o'clock p. m.,
in their office in the Opera House block,
Seymour, Ind., for the purpose of elect-
ing three directors.
d22 3t P. H. WILHELM, Secy.

**Suits and overcoats at
all prices and cheaper
than anywhere at the
FAMOUS CLOTHING
HOUSE.**

Stick and mixed candy, 5c a pound.
THE ATKINSON GROCERY CO.

Dressed geese and turkeys, Teck-
meyer's.

Don't forget to inspect our Cloak De-
partment. It's full of real bargains.
d3w1 C. R. HOFFMAN.

For Ballard's ice cream for Christmas
dinner leave orders at Frank Gates' by
3 o'clock to-morrow afternoon.

When buying your groceries for the
holidays remember that Mayes' prices
are always the lowest.

An elegant line of fresh meats of all
kinds, venison, dressed geese, ducks,
turkeys, chickens and fresh oysters, New
York counts at Leidorf's.

Perfumes, all the choicest odors, per-
fume atomizers and other toilet neces-
sities at Milhous Drugstore. d22 d3t

Special bargains in comb and brush
sets, collar and cuff boxes, shaving sets,
manicure boxes, picture frames, toys
and dolls at
dwtf

SNYDER'S ECONOMY STORE.

If you want to see Santa Claus come
to the Presbyterian church Thursday
evening. He will be with his
fairies, brownies and Esquimaux. Ad-
mission 10 cents to those not members
of the Sunday school. 2t

Paris Long to day received a telegram
from Columbia, Tenn., stating that his
brother-in-law, J. B. Wagstaff, is much
worse with but little hope of recovery.

One of our elegant banquet lamps
would make a most serviceable holiday
present. C. W. MILHOUS, Druggist.
d22 d3t

CHRISTINE

Relieve Neuralgia and Headache, whether arising from
Nervousness, Indigestion, Catarrh or other causes. Inval-
uable for Rheumatic and Lumbago Pains, Sleeplessness,
Fever and Colds.

Only 10 Cts. a Package.

Call and look over our stock of Xmas presents. We have
the best of goods at

VERY REASONABLE PRICES.

W. F. PETER,
SUCCESSOR TO
J. H. Andrews & Co.

LOOK HERE
DO YOU KNOW IT!

The Seymour Furniture Company,
121 and 123 S. Chestnut St.,

Has the Largest and Best Selected Stock of Furniture of any
House in the City, in which they Offer Special Bargains for

Christmas Presents

At Lower Prices than any one else. Come and be convinced.

WM. WILLMAN, Manager.

Married.

This morning at 9:30 o'clock at the
residence of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Huff-
man, on East Second street, their
daughter, Miss Geneva Huffman, and
Mr. Frank A. Bare, of Vincennes, were
united in marriage, Rev. J. W. Clev-
enger, officiating. Only relatives were
present. After the ceremony and con-
gratulations an elegant wedding break-
fast was served. The bride and groom
left on No. 1 for Vincennes, where they
will reside.

**The finest holiday goods
at the lowest prices at the
Famous.**

Money to Loan and 63 acre farm for
sale. J. BALSLEY. tf

Any of these would make a nice pres-
ent for Christmas. A pair of nice shoes,
ladies or gents, slippers of all kinds and
a nice assortment. Jersey leggings \$1.00
to \$1.25; overgaiters 20 cents to \$1.00;
boys leather or corduroy leggings \$1.25 to
\$1.40. Call and see them.

dwtf W. F. Bush & Co.

RAILROAD RUMBLINGS

Engineer Frank Evans, of the B. &
O., was a guest in the city last night
from Washington.

Frank Salge, of the B. & O. S. W.
freight office, and wife and his sister,
Mrs. Hattie Wheeler, went to Cincin-
nati this morning to visit friends.

Engine 145, pulling No. 2 here last
evening, broke down here and was run
in the shops. Engine 103, with Rol-
Emery in charge, pulled the train east.

Engineer Lon Pruitt, who was badly
injured in a wreck near Cincinnati, De-
cember 30, 1895, has so far recovered as
to have made one trip this week. He
is very sore and thinks he will soon be
all right.

Pennsylvania Voluntary Relief.

R. F. Smith, superintendent of the
Pennsylvania voluntary relief depart-
ment, yesterday issued the bulletin for
November, which shows that during the
month \$2,750 was disbursed on deaths
from accident, \$8,750 on deaths from
natural causes, \$5,366.75 in disburse-
ments from accident and \$7,172.40 in
sickness benefits, making the total dis-
bursements of the month \$24,009.15.
During the month 898 members drew
benefits. In the eighty-nine months the
association has been in operation it has
paid in death benefits from accident
\$461,589.60, in sickness benefits \$578,-
560.40, making the grand total of \$1,-
690,622.47. During the period 76,584
members have drawn benefits, or, in
case of death, their legal heirs.

BORN.

A son was born to William Cordes
and wife, of Cortland, Sunday, Decem-
ber 19, 1896.

A daughter was born to H. B. Claws
and wife, Monday, December 21, 1896.

**Awarded
Highest Honors—World's Fair.**

PRICE'S
CREAM
BAKING
POWDER
MOST PERFECT MADE.

A pure Grape Cream of Tartar Powder. Free
from Ammonia, Alum or any other adulterant.
40 Years the Standard.

CUT THIS OUT!

**And take it with you when looking for Holiday
Goods. It will make your shopping easier.**

**Large and complete line of useful
things that gentlemen and
boys appreciate.**

Men's Fine Overcoats and Ulsters, Blue, Black and
Oxford are the correct colors. All sizes, 34 to 48.
\$4.95 to \$15.00

See our Fine Kersey Overcoats, Silk Lined at
\$9.98

Boy's Overcoats and Ulsters, age 4 to 15. Handsome
Styles \$1.00 to \$5.00

New Line Boy's Short Pants Suits. Just received.

SPECIAL. Boy's Double Breasted Black Cheviot
Suits, age 4 to 14 98c

All Wool Brown Mixed Cheviot Suits. Large or small
Collars \$1.49

Boy's Fine Plush and Corduroy Turban, Golf or Wind-
sor Caps 50c

Men's Fine Stiff Hats make an Elegant Christmas
Present. We have some Beauties \$1.00 to \$3.00

Beautiful Neckwear is always appreciated. 35 dozen
Novelties, five different makes 25c to \$1.00

Fine Gloves are just the thing. We have the fine
ones, in both English and Domestic make 50c to \$2.50

Large and Handsome Line of Dress Shirts 50c to \$1.50

Embroidered Night Robes. Elegant Pattern 50c, 75c, \$1.00

Linen and Silk Handkerchiefs 5c to \$1.00

Mackintosh Coats and very useful. All styles \$1.50 to \$8.00

UMBRELLAS, just received. Some Swell Styles. A
present that pleases anyone 74c to \$3.00

SPECIAL.

**From now until January 1st, we will make a
Special Discount on all our
men's and boy's suits. If you in-
tend buying, go with the
crowds to the popular
outfitting house**

THE HUB.

"The Last Piece"

hung,—and the day but just begun!"

All women who have no time and strength to waste, who want snowy clothes and soft hands should use the famous

SANTA CLAUS SOAP

The best and purest soap. Made for laundry, and general house use. Sold everywhere.

Made only by
THE N. K. FAIRBANK COMPANY, Chicago.

John R. McLean's Great Newspaper.

Without a single exception, there is beyond doubt no paper or more popular newspaper in the United States than the Cincinnati Enquirer; or a more successful publisher than its proprietor, Mr. John R. McLean.

The old-time prices for the Daily Enquirer have been maintained, and its circulation largely increased each year; hard times and cheaper journals failing to arrest its onward march and high appreciation of the public for its true worth and merit.

The Weekly Enquirer at beginning of the campaign year was offered at 50 cents a year, and its circulation increased by the addition of over 200,000 new subscribers; the most substantial and coveted testimonial a publisher could desire.

When asked for the secret of such success, Mr. McLean frankly answers: The Enquirer has no opinions to force upon its patrons, it simply prints the facts and tells the truth that the reader may form his own opinions. By maintaining the price of the paper, more news and greater variety can be furnished, and every class of business interests catered to, which a cheaper journal cannot afford.

The very liberal support given the Enquirer by the public at large, makes incumbent upon the management to serve it faithfully with zeal and enterprise in minor matters as well as those of greater magnitude.

Advertised Letters.

The following is the list of letters remaining in the postoffice at this place and if not called for within 14 days will be sent to the dead letter office:

LADIES	GENTS
Barnes Miss Vannie	Able J. H.
Brown Mrs. Mary	Miller Ed.
Sherman Miss Minnie	Miller Martin J.
Smith Miss Mary	Mount Wilber
Stevens Miss Ethel	Pfaffenberger F. B.
Stevens Miss Ethel	Soran Mr.
Stevens Miss Ethel	Strange Geo.
Stuart Miss Rosa	Stanfield, Albert
Sweeney Mrs. Mary	Thialar Fill
Thomas Mrs. Julia	
Wiesner Mrs. Rena	

GEO. E. PRICE, P. M.

"The worst cold I ever had in my life was cured by Chamberlain's Cough Remedy," writes W. H. Norton, of Sutter Creek, Cal. "This cold left me with a cough and I was expectorating all the time. The remedy cured me, and I want all my friends with troubled with a cough or cold to use it, for it will do good." Sold by C. W. Milhous.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children

After hearing some friends continually praising Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, Curtis Fleck, of Anaheim, California, purchased a bottle for his own use and is now as enthusiastic over its wonderful work as anyone can be. The 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by C. W. Milhous, Druggist.

Louisville Division.

REDUCED RATES.

Pennsylvania Lines.

Christmas and New Year Excursions via Pennsylvania Lines.

Schedule of Passenger Trains—Central Time

Southward	10 12 4 18 10 6 10 1	AM	PM	AM	PM	AM	PM
Chicago	10:00	12:15	4:15	18:15	10:15	6:15	10:15
Indianapolis	10:30	12:45	4:45	18:45	10:45	6:45	10:45
Southport	10:45	13:00	5:00	19:00	11:00	7:00	11:00
Greensburg	11:00	13:15	5:15	19:15	11:15	7:15	11:15
Whitehall	11:15	13:30	5:30	19:30	11:30	7:30	11:30
Franklin	11:30	13:45	5:45	19:45	11:45	7:45	11:45
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SENATE AND HOUSE

Galleries Disappointed In Not Hearing Senator Vest.

CUBAN QUESTION LAID ASIDE.

Senator Pettigrew's Resolution Taken Up and the South Dakota Man Made a Savage Onslaught on the Pacific System In General—House Passes the Legislative Appropriation Bill.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—The senate was unexpectedly diverted yesterday from Cuba to the Pacific railroads. An unusually large crowd was in the galleries anticipating that Mr. Vest would continue his speech on the attitude of Mr. Olney toward the Cameron resolution. The interest this had awakened was shown by the presence in the diplomatic gallery of First Assistant Secretary of State Rockhill, who is next in rank to Mr. Olney in state affairs, and who has had special charge of the reports coming from consuls in Cuba. The foreign delegation also was well represented. Soon after the session opened Mr. Pettigrew of South Dakota called up his resolution relative to the trust notes of the Pacific railroad. The senator made a savage onslaught on the Pacific railroad system in general, charging that a combination of private interests was seeking to absorb the roads and close out the government. This opened the entire question and Mr. Morgan of Alabama followed with a bitter arraignment of the Pacific roads, charging them with fraud and crime on a gigantic scale. The speech lasted until shortly before the morning hour expired, thus sending over the question until after the holidays.

Mr. Call secured the adoption of a resolution asking the secretary of state for information relative to the killing of Charles Gavin, an American citizen, by the Spanish forces in Cuba. Further than this the session was uneventful and the senate adjourned until after the holidays.

THE CHANGE OF LIFE.

Intelligent Women Prepare for the Trying Ordeal.

A Time When Women Are Susceptible to Many Dread Diseases.

The anxiety felt by women as the "change of life" draws near, is not without reason.

When her system is in a deranged condition, or she is predisposed to apoplexy, or congestion of any organ, it is at this period likely to become active and with a host of nervous irritations, make life a burden. Can a woman offer herself to such a destructive work?

Such warning symptoms as sense of suffocation, headache, dizziness, palpitation of the heart, sparks before the eyes, irregularities, constipation, variable appetite, weakness and inactivity, dizziness, etc., are promptly heeded by intelligent women who are approaching the period in life where woman's great change may be expected. Thousands at this critical time consult Mrs. Pinkham, and conduct their habits according to her advice.

and with the Vegetable Compound go through this trying time with perfect safety and comfort. Mrs. W. L. Day, of Bettisville, Ohio, says:—

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shall receive actual expenses for travel and subsistence.

LANDS GIVEN TO MINNESOTA.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—An unusually large amount of land was given to the states of Minnesota and North Dakota yesterday. Minnesota gained 69,681 acres in Duluth district by the approval of a swamp list and North Dakota gained 51,267 acres by the approval of lists of land for purposes of the deaf and dumb, schools of mines, reform schools, state normal school and agricultural colleges.

QUARTERLY PENSION PAYMENT.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—The secretary of the interior has issued a requisition on the treasury for \$10,800,000 for next month's quarterly pension payment. The amount is divided as follows: Pittsburgh, \$1,776,000; Milwaukee, \$1,896,000; Des Moines, \$2,100,000; Concord, N. H., \$700,000; Chicago, \$2,750,000; Buffalo, \$1,600,000.

EX-CONGRESSMAN HARRIS' FUNERAL.

WELLINGTON, O., Dec. 23.—The funeral of ex-Congressman Rowell G. Harris was held at the First Congregational church here yesterday and was attended by a large number of old friends of the deceased. Touching remarks were made by Rev. A. E. Wall, the pastor, and by W. R. Wean of Webster and S. S. Warner former business associates of Mr. Harris. The burial was in the village cemetery.

INDIGNATION MEETING.

KEY WEST, Fla., Dec. 23.—An indignation meeting was held here last night to protest against the barbarous methods of Spanish warfare in Cuba and also to express indignation against the alleged assassination of Maceo and staff, and to ask what the state department has done in regard to the alleged butchery of the arts and Massachusetts' homeopathic hospital which gets \$50,000 each.

DISTRIBUTED HIS MILLIONS.

BOSTON, Dec. 23.—The will of the late Henry L. Pierce, ex-mayor of Boston, has been filed for probate. Upwards of \$2,000,000 in public bequests are distributed by the document. The chief beneficiaries are Harvard college, Massachusetts general hospital, Massachusetts institute of technology, museum of fine arts and Massachusetts' homeopathic hospital which gets \$50,000 each.

KATE FIELD'S BODY ARRIVES.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 23.—The steamer Belgic arrived yesterday from Hong Kong and Yokohama via Honolulu, bringing to port the remains of Miss Kate Field. The funeral services will take place at Trinity Episcopal church next Sunday afternoon and the body will be immediately afterward conveyed to the crematory, where it will be incinerated.

DYING IN POVERTY.

CLEVELAND, Dec. 23.—Mrs. Hanna M. Hilton, widow of the late Judge George H. Hilton, once a prominent lawyer in Cincinnati, was found last night on her deathbed in this city, where she is living in poverty. Mrs. Hilton is 68 years of age and has been a helpless invalid for two years.

SENATOR ALLISON DENIES IT.

DURHAM, N. C., Dec. 23.—Senator Allison yesterday said that he was not entering the cabinet of Major McKinley. "I have not been offered any position by Mr. McKinley," he said, "nor has anybody else offered me any position of any kind."

FORMERLY PRESIDENT OF A BANK.

GUTHRIE, O. T., Dec. 23.—J. C. Miller, who has been convicted of counterfeiting at New Orleans, was president of the First National bank of Blackwell, O. T., and was a son of G. W. Miller, a prominent citizen of the Cherokee country.

MORE BANK FAILURES

Two St. Paul Institutions In the Examiner's Charge.

WINDY CITY'S BANK TROUBLES.

WARRANTS OUT FOR E. S. DREYER AND ROBERT BERGER FOR EMBEZZLEMENT—SIXTY-DAY NOTICE SERVED ON DEPOSITORS OF THE ILLINOIS TRUST AND SAVINGS BANK—TWO ELEVATOR FIRMS MAKE ASSIGNMENTS.

ST. PAUL, Dec. 23.—State Bank Examiner Kenyon yesterday took possession of the Bank of Minnesota and as a result of the closing of this bank the Union Stockyard's bank also closed. The Bank of Minnesota's capital is \$2,000,000 and it was considered one of the strongest banks in the west. Judge Otis, of the Ramsey county district court, last night agreed to appoint Frank Seymour, cashier of the Merchant's National bank, and an attorney not yet decided on, to be receivers of the Bank of Minnesota, which closed its doors yesterday. The state bank examiner is in charge of the bank pending such appointment, and after making an examination of affairs said he did not consider the failure a bad one, but expected the bank would resume business before long. The officers of the bank say that they had been hoping to carry the institution through the hard pressure of the winter but had found it too great a task and had concluded to call in the state bank examiner and have him take charge.

Their action may have been influenced by the clearing house, which sent word for them not to clear yesterday for the bank closed soon after receiving the notice. The bank of Minnesota was the oldest in the city and one of the best known throughout the northwest. It had many correspondents, among them being the National bank of Illinois, but it was stated last night that the failure of the big Chicago bank had nothing to do with the closing of this concern. The small bank at the stock yards that closed as a result of the other failure was a branch of the bank of Minnesota, but no other local banks are at all affected by the failure.

CHICAGO BANK FAILURES.

Excitement Has Almost Died Out In the Windy City.

CHICAGO, Dec. 23.—The failures of Angus & Grindale, general contractors; the American Brewing, Malt and Elevator company; the George A. Weiss Malt and Elevator company, and George A. Weiss, individually, all of these being due to the collapse of the National Bank of Illinois, and small runs on three banks were the echoes yesterday of the bank failures of the day before.

JEALOUS HUSBAND'S DEED.

James Preston Shoots His Wife, Her Son and Himself.

CINCINNATI, Dec. 23.—James Preston, aged 40, shot his wife Amanda, aged 37, the latter's son, William Bryant, aged 19, in the residence of Mrs. Preston yesterday, and then shot himself. Preston is a farmer near New Richmond, O. His wife left him some time ago and came to this city, taking quarters with her son and making a living at dressmaking. Preston followed his wife and tried to effect a reconciliation. It is evident that Preston was actuated by motives of jealousy, as he had in his possession a letter written to his wife by another man.

OHIO NAVAL RESERVE.

LIMA, O., Dec. 23.—John K. Brice, brother of Senator Brice, has been offered the command of the Ohio naval reserve, which is being organized at Cleveland. Toledo and other cities on Lake Erie. He served in Annapolis a number of years, and is thoroughly posted on naval matters and is a thorough civil engineer. It is very probable that he will accept the offer.

TONGUE PARALYZED.

MUNCIE, Ind., Dec. 23.—Dr. Crouse, a popular physician of Union City, was boarding a train at Indianapolis for his home, when his tongue suddenly became paralyzed, and he now has no use of the member. When Muncie was reached an attempt was made to get a doctor, but none could be secured. Dr. Crouse was much alarmed.

DRANK WOOD ALCOHOL.

MATTOON, Ill., Dec. 23.—Two young men are dead and several others are under the care of physicians with little hope of recovery from drinking wood alcohol mixed with water, sugar and cinnamon drops. The alcohol itself is a poison and the wonder is that they are not all dead.

TO FIGHT FOR CUBA.

DEFIANCE, O., Dec. 23.—Three companies of Cuban recruits are being organized here and at Napoleon and Paulding. Thirty-seven men have joined the company here and they are partially armed and equipped. They are being drilled nightly. They expect to join the Ohio legion, which is a part of the command of General Gomez.

SUGAR HOUSE BURNED.

WHITE CASTLE, La., Dec. 23.—Mrs. J. Supple's sugar house on Catherine plantation was totally destroyed by fire yesterday together with 3,500 barrels of sugar. The sugar house cost \$140,000; insurance, \$50,000. There are 3,000 tons of cane in the fields.

AMNESTY GRANTED.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Dec. 23.—An aide has been issued granting amnesty to all Armenian prisoners expect those sentenced to death for murder. The terms of the amnesty include about 100 Armenians under sentence of death for other offences than murder.

NEWSPAPER SOLD AT AUCTION.

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 23.—The property of the Kansas City World was sold at auction yesterday for \$20,000 to Bernard Corrigan, a local capitalist, on a mortgage covering the plant.

WEATHER.

Indiana and Illinois—Fair; colder. Ohio—Fair, preceded by snow; colder.

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FIRE IN A PRISON.

Two Buildings of the New York State Reformatory Burned.

ELMHURST, N. Y., Dec. 23.—Fire last night destroyed two buildings at the state reformatory, entailing a loss of about \$100,000. The buildings destroyed were occupied by the F. H. Mills company, which manufactured plumbers' and cabinet supplies. After the convicts had left the building the watchman noticed the flames. The fire engine at the reformatory was put at work and two steamers were sent up from the city, but it was nearly three hours before the flames were under control. There was great excitement among the convicts and every corridor was doubly guarded.

IMPORTANT ARREST.

Joseph Harris Taken In at Monmouth, Ills., Wanted For Arson.

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—The police of every important city in the country have for more than a year been on a lookout for Joseph L. Harris, who was arrested at Monmouth, Ills. yesterday. Harris was indicted in July, 1895, for arson in the third degree. He was formerly in the furniture business in this city. His store was burned, the alleged loss was \$192,000, partly covered by insurance. There was a hitch when an effort was made to collect the insurance, and Harris became frightened and fled.

TELEGRAPH BRIEVITIES.

At Spokane, Wash., Theodore Cushing, a wealthy farmer, has been sentenced to the penitentiary for life for murder.

Ex-Congressman W. H. Hatch is lying at the point of death at his home near Hannibal, Mo. He is suffering from Bright's disease.

Jerome J. Bick, postmaster at Clapper, Monroe county, Mo., has been indicted by the United States grand jury on a charge of false cancellation of stamps.

Robert A. Smith, largely interested in the Minnesota bank, which failed yesterday, was appointed postmaster by Cleveland and confirmed by the senate Monday.

Frank Ashley was convicted at Detroit yesterday of the murder of James Magee and sentenced to imprisonment for life. It was the second trial. Ashley called Magee to his door and shot him down.

SINGULAR CIRCUMSTANCES.

Outlines of a Man's Face Gradually Appear on a Mirror.

BOURBON, Ind., Dec. 23.—A blur became noticeable on the face of a large plate-glass mirror recently purchased and hanging in the office of Dr. Malachett, which gradually changed until it assumed the outlines of a man's face. The picture is now well defined, with a small, well trimmed imperial on the chin, the mouth overhanging with a large mustache. The forehead is over shadowed by stray, disheveled locks, the whole making the picture of a distinguished looking man, foreign in aspect and fierce in expression. Hundreds of people have viewed the mirror, none of whom can account for the phenomenon.

POISON IN FLOUR.

Family Poisoned by Eating Cakes Made of Prepared Buckwheat.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 23.—Five members of the family of F. M. Roberts, a fireman on the Missouri Pacific railway, were poisoned by eating cakes made of prepared buckwheat flour yesterday. Four of them are at the city hospital and it is doubtful if they will recover. They are:

Mrs. Mary Roberts.

Ollie Roberts, aged 18.

Frank Roberts, aged 16.

Johnnie Roberts, aged 6.

Lizzie Roberts, aged 8.

George Roberts, 11 years old, found a package of prepared buckwheat flour in the alley Monday night. He took it home and his mother made buckwheat cakes for breakfast, with the above result.

YOUNG DESPERADO.

Confesses to a Murder and Robbery For Which Others Were Arrested.

CLOUD CHIEF, O. T., Dec. 23.—Fred Horn, a 16-year-old desperado, confessed the killing of Frank Tripp, for whose murder John McLean, Thomas Berry and J. H. Coulter, all boys, were arrested. He says he tried to force one of the other boys to kill Tripp, but they weakened. He thought Tripp had at least \$50 on his person, but found only \$1 and a knife. He was so angry at this that he took Tripp's clothes off him to "get even." He confesses to belonging to a gang of outlaws who have been robbing the neighborhood for months.

WOMAN'S SUFFRAGE LEAGUE DINNER.

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—About 200 members of the New York City Woman's Suffrage league and their guests partook of the fifth annual dinner of the Pilgrim Mothers, at the Tuxedo yesterday. Lillie Devereaux Blake, acted as president. The ladies sat at 22 tables, each of which was presided over by a hostess. About 20 woman's organizations were present at the dinner.

GLADNESS COMES

With a better understanding of the transient nature of the many physical ills, which vanish before proper efforts—gentle efforts—pleasant efforts—directed to the right. There is comfort in the knowledge that so many forms of sickness are not due to any actual disease, but simply to a constipated condition of the system, which the pleasant family laxative, Syrup of Figs, promptly removes. That is why it is the only remedy with millions of families, and is everywhere esteemed so highly by all who value good health. Its beneficial effects are due to the fact, that it is the one remedy which promotes internal cleanliness without debilitating the organs on which it acts. It is therefore all important, in order to get its beneficial effects, to note when you purchase that you have the genuine article, which is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only and sold by all reputable druggists.

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WEST. 71. EAST. 72.

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6:15.....Sardinia.....3:05

6:30.....Elizabeth.....2:30

6:40.....Seymour.....1:45 p. m.

6:50.....Freetown.....12:03 p. m.

6:15.....Kurtz.....11:47

6:18.....Holtville.....11:00

6:25.....Bedford, Lv. 10:35

Leave 12:30 p. m. Bedford, Ar. 7:50

6:30.....Indiana Sp. 6:25

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THE MCKINLEYS.

They Start For Home From Chicago. Thankful Of New Clothes.

CHICAGO, Dec. 23.—President-elect McKinley and his wife left for Canton last night going by the Pennsylvania road. A baggage wagon loaded with six trunks, every one of them heavier than when the McKinley party brought them to Chicago, preceded them to the station.

From the president-elect down to Mrs. McKinley's maid, every one of the party had some new clothes. In one trunk was the gown which Mrs. McKinley will wear at the inauguration and in another was a new suit for Mr. McKinley. The most exciting part of Mr. McKinley's last day in Chicago was when a crowd of 4,000 persons surrounded his carriage in front of the wholesale house of Marshall Field & Co. yesterday and refused to let the carriage move on till the president-elect had shaken hands with several hundred of them. He was finally rescued by police. Just before leaving Mr. McKinley declared that his health was much improved, and that his rest had done him "a world of good."

RAILWAY MILEAGE.

Number of Miles of New Roads Constructed During the Year.

CHICAGO, Dec. 23.—Only 1,802 miles of railway lines were built in the United States in 1896. This is one mile less than the total reported for 1895, and is the smallest mileage built in any year since 1875. The number of lines on which this track was laid is 168, which is 11 less than the number of new lines added in the previous year. Track was laid in 88 of the 49 states and territories. The longest mileage was built in California, 187 miles, on eight lines.

PROTESTED TEMPLE'S CONSECRATION.

LONDON, Dec. 23.—During the ceremony yesterday of the consecration of St. Rev. Frederick Temple, D.D., as archbishop of Canterbury, at Bow church, Rev. Mr. Brownjohn rose and protested against the consecration on the ground that Dr. Temple was a self-confessed believer in the doctrine of evolution and that this doctrine was incompatible with fidelity to the book of common prayer and the articles of religion. The royal commissioners declined to hear Rev. Mr. Brownjohn.

IN SOUTH AFRICA.

CLEVELAND, Dec. 23.—About a year and a half ago Charles G. Anderson, captain of a fire engine company in this city, disappeared after he had borrowed about \$1,000 from friends and had drawn the monthly pay of his entire company. He was traced to Pittsburgh, but there the track was lost. It has just been learned that Anderson is in Bechuanaland, South Africa, where he is employed as a policeman. He was in transit during the Jameson raid.

HANNA'S SON AGAIN SUE.

CLEVELAND, Dec. 23.—Dan. R. Hanna, son of Hon. M. A. Hanna, has been again sued on an election bet. He wagered \$250 with Allen A. Armstrong that McKinley would carry Ohio by more than 50,000. The money was turned over to Hanna by the stakeholder. Armstrong makes the point that Bryan should be credited with the People's party vote as well as with the Democratic vote. Mr. Hanna settled the dispute out of court.

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Both houses of congress have adjourned for the holiday vacation. They will begin for business again on January 5.

The death of Maceo if filling the Cubans with new energy and determination to avenge the death of their gallant leader.

The silence of David B. Hill for the past four months has been a surprise to his closest friends. His accomplishments are even greater than they had known.

The conflict between Secretary Olney and the senate committee on foreign relations is resulting in some very diligent study of international law. This information will not come amiss for our law makers.

The gist of the matter is put thus by the Inter Ocean: "The naked facts are that whenever we have enjoyed protection we have enjoyed prosperity; whenever protection has been withdrawn adversity has invaded us."

One good old farmer still insists that the rise in the price of wheat before the election was due to its being cornered by Hanna for election purposes. Well Hanna must be a pretty good friend to the farmers for keeping the price up for so long.

GOVERNOR MATTHEWS is very much opposed to the sound money democrats being appointed on the boards of the state institutions. He knows that it will be impossible to hold the popocrats in line when they find the spoils of office are taken from them. He understands the average popocratic heart too well.

PRESIDENT SMART, of Purdue university, has filed his annual report with the governor. As usual he asks for a large appropriation from the legislature, \$54,000 this time. The amount of money the state pays to her educational institutions is something enormous. A few lessons in business economy should be taught to these educators.

SECRETARY CARLISLE estimates that for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1897 the deficit will be \$94,500,000 and for the year ending June 30, 1898 the deficit will be \$45,718,970. Yet he believes that some day the present law will yield sufficient revenue to pay the government's expenses. In the meantime, however the patient may die from the treatment.

A FEW weeks ago General Lew Wallace said that it was unbecoming in a man to be a candidate for United States senator, that the office should seek the man and not the man the office. Now his friends give out the information that headquarters are to be opened in the general's interest. Time seems to have changed his opinion.

TEN taxpayers of Indiana would a great deal rather see \$1,000,000 applied on the principal of the state debt than to see that amount of money spent in a centennial exposition just now. Indiana citizens are proud of their state and her achievements, but they will feel prouder of a business policy that will reduce her indebtedness than of a vain glorious policy which will make a display of her resources at a time when they can ill afford it.

The benevolent and penal institutions will ask for increased appropriations from the legislature. Yet their reports indicate that the inmates of the institutions were well cared for, properly fed and clothed and in some instances the work was better done than in previous years. The republican legislature two years ago made a good record for economy and we believe the incoming body will do equally well. It was that economy which allowed the payment of \$800,000 of the principal of the state debt during the past year. The people are pleased with a financial management that gives a prospect of wiping out the state debt and thus ultimately reducing the rate of taxation.

As usual the B. & O. S. W. Railway has arranged for holiday rates for their patrons, and will sell at low price round trip tickets from all stations to any point to any point in Central Passenger Committee territory.

This territory covers St. Louis, Louisville, Cincinnati, Cleveland, Chicago, Indianapolis and hundreds of other points. Tickets on sale Dec. 24th, 25th, 31st and Jan. 1st. Good returning to and including January 4th 1897.

Any B. & O. S. W. Agent can give full information. J. M. CHESBROUGH, General passenger agent, Cincinnati, O.

Joseph Burkart to-day celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of his birth.

Dr. Miller's Pain Expeller. Dr. Miller's Pain Expeller. Dr. Miller's Pain Expeller.

The horsehoers of the state have formed a union and will ask that the legislature pass a law exacting certain qualifications from those engaging in their trade.

McKINLEY finds plenty of good timber in the republican ranks from which to select his cabinet. And there is plenty more that would like to be accounted a cabinet timber.

The majority of the American people expect a change in condition of affairs after McKinley's inauguration, but the silver senators are doing their best to bring embarrassment and failure to the new administration.

"ANCIENT LANDMARKS" is an appropriate title for Mr. Bryan's lecture in Georgia this week. Wonder whether it includes the cross of gold, the Chicago platform, the egg shells which helped to gain twelve McKinley electors in Kentucky!

The prevalence of diphtheria in many localities in the state has called for the closest attention of the state board of health. Secretary Hurty has done much valuable service in the interest of the people. He has been fearless in enforcing the health laws, and has furnished much information that is of great value especially to local health officers.

W. E. Hoadley purchased the J. W. Massman two story brick business property on South Chestnut street for \$5,000 yesterday. This is one of the best business localities in that part of the city. Mr. Hoadley expects to move his stock of groceries there in January. He is a successful business man and he will do much better there than where he now is.

Editor Morrison, of Worthington, Ind., Sun, writes: "You have a valuable prescription in Electric Bitters, and I can cheerfully recommend it for consumption and sick headache, and as a general system tonic it has no equal." Mrs. Annie Stehle, 2625 Cottage Grove Ave. Chicago, was all run down, could not eat nor digest food, had a backache which never left her and felt tired and weary, but six bottles of Electric Bitters restored her health and renewed her strength. Price fifty cents and \$1.00. Get a bottle at W. F. Peter's, successor to J. H. Andrews & Co., drug store.

The Supreme Court for the second time has rendered a decision declaring that a city debt becomes a debt when it is contracted instead of when it is due. This time the case was that of the city of Laporte, which, after reaching the constitutional 2 per cent. limit of indebtedness, contracted for the Gamewell fire alarm system on the theory that installments by which it was to be paid did not constitute a city debt until they became due. The circuit court also held this theory, but the Supreme court reversed the decision and held that the contract could not be enforced, being a violation of the law.

The Indiana bulletin of charities and corrections for December shows that in August 31, 1895, there were in orphan asylums and poor asylums in Indiana, over 3,000 children under the age of sixteen years. During the year ending August 31, 1895, the number of children sixteen years of age given relief by township trustees was 34,941.

James L. Francis, Alderman, Chicago, says: "I regard Dr. King's New Discovery as an Ideal Remedy for Coughs, Colds and Lung Complaints, having used it in my family for the last five years, to the exclusion of physician's prescriptions or other preparations."

Rev. John Burgess, Keokuk, Iowa, writes: "I have been a minister of the Methodist Episcopal church for 50 years or more, and have never found anything so beneficial, or that gave me such speedy relief as Dr. King's New Discovery." Try this Ideal Cough Remedy now. Free trial bottles at W. F. Peter's, successor to J. H. Andrews & Co.'s drug store. Regular size 50c. and \$1.00.

T. A. Moore, of Columbus, is a candidate for door keeper of the lower house.

General Jasper Packard says he will not make any effort to be elected speaker of the house of representatives.

CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEARS HOLIDAY RATES.

As usual the B. & O. S. W. Railway has arranged for holiday rates for their patrons, and will sell at low price round trip tickets from all stations to any point to any point in Central Passenger Committee territory.

This territory covers St. Louis, Louisville, Cincinnati, Cleveland, Chicago, Indianapolis and hundreds of other points.

Tickets on sale Dec. 24th, 25th, 31st and Jan. 1st. Good returning to and including January 4th 1897.

Any B. & O. S. W. Agent can give full information. J. M. CHESBROUGH, General passenger agent, Cincinnati, O.

Dr. Miller's Pain Expeller. Dr. Miller's Pain Expeller. Dr. Miller's Pain Expeller.

Mrs. Ed. Corthum is improving steadily. W. E. Hoadley are indisposed with the grip. Mrs. John Dixon is quite sick with bilious trouble. Mrs. Dr. D. J. Cummings, of Houston, is improving again. Lee Thompson, of Driftwood township, is dangerously sick. Mrs. F. H. Rottger has almost recovered from a serious sickness. Mrs. George Binder is seriously indisposed with bilious trouble. Mrs. S. D. Meek, who has been quite sick with rheumatism, is much better to-day. Mail messenger George Able, who went to Cincinnati to be treated for deafness, had an operation performed on Monday, is much improved this morning.

Arien Calens has opened a butcher shop in our town. Several of our citizens have been attending church at Taylor's Chapel.

H. H. Darlage's brother and sister, of Sauers, spent a night with him last week.

George Reichenbacher, one of our prominent farmers, is building a large barn.

R. W. Rose has returned from South Bethany where he has been visiting his mother.

Rev. Harvey Rucker is attending the bedside of his sick daughter, Mrs. Stanford Smith.

Minnie, a small daughter of Annie McKain, was bitten by a pet pig, from which she has suffered considerably.

Lack of financial ability has stopped the work on Nigger Hill and though not completed it is in much better condition than it formerly was.

A Christmas entertainment will be held under the auspices of the U. B. Sabbath school Christmas eve. Everyone invited to come out.

I am no astronomer or prophet but I have been watching the movements of the heavenly bodies and my observations have led me to believe that there will be two marriages by the time the next new year comes on.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO ss.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the city of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886.

A. W. GLEASON, Notary Public.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials, free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by druggists, 75c. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Mrs. Charles Parsley died Friday, December 18, 1896, at Springfield, Lawrence county, with consumption, aged twenty-four years. Remains were buried Sunday at Taylor's Chapel, near Free-town.

The infant child of Frank P. Scott, of Terre Haute, died Tuesday night, December 22, 1896. The remains will be brought here this evening and taken to the home of Charles W. Milhous.

A merry Christmas to all. Our sick are all on the mend. Both of our Sunday schools will give entertainments Christmas eve.

The Mason of Hayden, will give a grand festival Thursday and Friday evenings.

Noah Sullivan bought the Conner school house and will remove it to his farm west of town.

Ed. Beatty's face is wearing a broad smile on account of a little Miss Beatty who arrived at his house Nov. 19th.

Mrs. Frank Wilkens, who was called to the bedside of her father at Washington, returned home Friday night.

Ross Graves has contracted with E. L. Beatty to build a house on his farm two and one-half miles west of town.

Chas. Moit, of Camden, Ark., arrived here last Saturday night and will spend the holidays with friends.

We have three petitions for the post-office here and rumor says two are on a still hunt. Some one will get left.

Chas. Moore and Will Swarthout, both extra B. & O. S. W. boys, left for Birmingham, Ala., where the expect to work.

Howard Beatty, who is working for Chas. Schneek, of Seymour, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Beatty.

At their regular meeting Saturday eve the Masonic lodge of this place elected the following officers:

W. M., S. E. Hedge. S. W., J. E. Hudson. J. W., W. E. Hillerman. S. D., D. W. Dodd. J. D., Howard Beatty. Chaplain, P. B. Ewan. Secretary, E. W. Day. Treas., M. H. Reeves. Tyler, James C. Shields. Stewards, A. N. Winkler, S. D. Sutton. Trustees, P. B. Ewan, W. B. Whitcomb, D. W. Dodd.

OUR BARGAIN COLUMNS.

A Great Reduction. We will sell our large stock of trim, med Fall and Tams at Special Prices. Latest Styles. Winter Millinery, English walking hats and Tams at Special Prices. Latest Styles.

Hodapp & Wiethoff, "THE MILLINERS," South Chestnut Street.

If You can't think what to buy for Christmas, let us show you a beveled plate glass. Hand carved. Solid oak. Three pieces for 15 DOLLARS. The Seymour Furniture Co., South Chestnut Street.

Sanitary Plumbing. In all its branches. Gas and steam fitting a specialty. Satisfaction guaranteed at lowest prices. Repairing.

WILLARD C. BEVINS. No. 17 South Chestnut Street.

Don't Miss This Bargain. A beautiful Wire Quilted Slipper for \$1.50. Would please any girl. Married or single.

JNO. A. ROSS, Fine Footwear.

Daily Bread. Is always light and fresh. Home Made Candy and Fine Confections a Specialty. Bargain prices to SANTA CLAUS.

Crabb's Cash Grocery House. No. 118 South Chestnut Street.

Quality not Quantity. My stock is bought for cash and its the best the market affords, and sold at prices that are the lowest for first-class goods. No cheap bargain stock. I am a citizen of Seymour.

W. H. SEULKE, The Grocer. Cor. Chestnut and Brown.

Cut Roses. Of the choicest varieties. Caranations and beautiful violets at reasonable prices. Wedding and funeral designs a specialty.

MESSEK & SCHMIDHAUSER, THE FLORIST. No. 117 South Chestnut St.

ROCK Bottom Prices on my large and selected stock of rocking chairs. Novelties of all kinds in household furniture.

C. H. HUSTEDT, East Second Street.

SANTA CLAUS. Never forgets of fresh candles, nuts and fruits is complete and at prices like these: Mixed Candy at..... 5 cents a pound. Better Grade at..... 8 cents a pound. Stick Candy at..... 2 pound packages, 10 cts. French Cream at..... 5 and 10 cts. Ireland's Little Candy Shop. In Hibner's old stand.

The Weekly Seymour REPUBLICAN and the Toledo Blade for one year for one dollar cash in advance.

CLEARSPRING. Martin Thomas is rather poorly at this writing.

Prof. Browning's little daughter Ruth is on the sick list.

There is talk of organizing a debating society at this place.

J. L. Hinkle and his men went to the mill Monday to begin work.

Andrew Brown, our shoemaker, is talking of moving his shop to some larger building than that he now occupies.

George Butorf, whose illness we spoke of last week, died Sunday morning at 4 a. m., aged 60 years. He leaves a wife and four children who have the sympathy of the entire community.

Last Sunday evening about 7 o'clock the large two story frame house, the residence of John Stockwell, was discovered to be on fire. The whole town was soon out but nothing could be done to save the house. A part of the household goods were rescued, however. The barn, which stood near the house, was in great danger and was thought by many to be doomed but was saved by the active efforts of the bucket brigade. The fire is supposed to have caught from a defective flue. No insurance.

Studying Geography by Mail.

Mrs. Susan Benner, a teacher in one of the district or "country schools" of Wayne county, Ind., has introduced an original method of teaching the child history, geography, botany and geology.

Mrs. Benner began about three or four years ago, by having her pupils write letters descriptive of the country, climate and customs. The best of these letters were forwarded to schools in England, Australia, Egypt, South Africa and other countries.

Requests were made that the children in the schools where letters were received should answer them and give information of the same character. The idea was carried out still further by sending to the foreign schools specimens of flowers, grain, leaves, stone and soil.

Mrs. Benner's pupils have a collection of specimens from at least a dozen countries that cannot be excelled in the state. The system has now reached such a state that letters are continually being received, and the result is that the pupils are enthused in the work, and have more interest in history, geography and other studies than is usually seen in the common schools.

For Sale. 80 and 50 acre farms. Good sand land, one mile from city.

J. A. WEATHER.

Hoadley's Specials.

STAR SOAP, 8 bars..... 25 cents. FOUR X COFFEE, 1 pound 15 cents. FINE LARD, 17 pounds 2.00. A GOOD BROOM for..... 8 cents. Many other grocery bargains.

W. E. HOADLEY, No. 220 South Chestnut Street.

Morning Joy. Mocha and Java Coffee, High Grade, in two pound cans for 75 cts.

The Superlative Flour has no equal. A specialty.

The Model Grocery, Phone 25. CHAS. ABLE.

RIP GORE. Our prices on our assorted stock of Ladies' Wigs, Caps and Jackets, latest style. 25 off for one week.

L. F. MILLER & CO. South Chestnut St.

The Racket. Store has all the latest novelties in toys, and what not for Christmas. Never as cheap as to-day. Everything in our line at bargain prices.

H. M. SCHWING.

DON'T READ. This whole paper for copies but remember I will give you special prices on everything in my line for cash.

FRANK KRUSER, THE GROCER.

THE OLD RELIABLE W. E. KRAUSE.

Merchant Tailor is making you a Christmas present on his prices. Look at these suits for \$10.00. Warranted high grade overcoats at \$10.00, perfect in style. Trousers at \$4.00. Up to date. Every detail warranted.

The Model. Millinery parlors. Special prices in toys, date trimmed millinery, for one week.

YOUR OWN PRICES. TRY US. SWEANY & SEAMAN.

If You Want High Grade CONFECTIONARIES, sold in boxes or by the pound.

Fresh Fruits and Nuts. BEST BRANDS OF CIGARS.

For Christmas call on F. H. GATES.

STOVES TO BURN. A large assortment of heaters and cookers. Special inducements for one week at our store.

BINDER & CO. FINE CUTLERY FOR THE HOLIDAYS. South Chestnut St.

Say Neighbor. Wouldn't it be a good idea to give your wife a piece of household furniture for CHRISTMAS? My stock is new and full of attractions, at prices that will make you GRIN.

F. H. HEIDEMAN.

CORTLAND. Born, to Van Mottisinger and wife, a big girl.

Samuel Rhoads is in Harrison county visiting relatives.

The K. of P. lodge will give a big supper the 30th.

William Rhoads was taken suddenly sick last Monday.

Born, to Frank Rhoads and wife last Monday, a boy.

Born, to Carl White and wife last Wednesday, a boy.

Little Morris Pruden and Claude Tindler celebrated their birthday at J. T. Pruden's by having a turkey dinner.

Gordon Hartwell has seen fit to shake the dust of this county off his feet and returned to his farm in Jennings county.

To Cure a Cold in One Day. Take laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c.

A Sweeping Reduction.

NEVER EQUALLED.

Goods Must go Price as no Price.

Our large assortment of WATCHES, CLOCKS, SILVERWARE and JEWELRY.

Are being turned over to the people some at wholesale and some for less. Come at once and get choice of a large selection.

Clocks sold on 30 cents a week payments. Best repairing done at lowest prices.

E. M. YOUNG. 124 South Chestnut Street, Seymour.

Don't Wait!
Until the Best Things are Gone.

OUR STOCK OF

Fine China and Glass,

Dinner Sets, Toilet Sets, Banquet, Vase and Hanging Lamps, is now complete and ready for inspection.

No. 106
N. Second St. **BECKMAN & CO**

DAILY REPUBLICAN

Ask for the best, Robert's chewing gum.

Overgaiters for 20 cents at W. F. Bush & Co. dwtf

That beautiful silver plated tea set for \$7 at Harding's is a daisy.

See the line of leggings and overgaiters at W. F. Bush & Co. dwtf

All Christmas orders filled on short notice at Gates' d17 d3t

Be careful in buying Christmas candies and get them pure E. C. Becht's is the place to get them.

For Rent—Six room house in good condition for residence. Inquire at store. d19 3t

See the line of Christmas slippers at W. F. Bush & Co. dwtf

Boy's tan leather, and corduroy leggings, all sizes at W. F. Bush & Co. dwtf

Special bargains in fine silver plated knives and forks at Harding's price reduced to \$4 per dozen from now until Jan. 1st.

E. C. Becht can guarantee his candies strictly pure and fresh as he manufactures them himself and knows what they are composed of.

The best place on earth to buy holiday goods this year is at Harding's. All goods engraved free of charge.

For Rent. Five room house. Call at F. O. Cox's. d15w1

For Sale. Cottage in good repair, cor. Chestnut and Oak. W. E. Hoadley. d22 d1f

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CASTORIA is on every drugstore.

American Tea Co.'s Holiday Bargains.

Fine mixed candies, 5 cts pound.

Assorted stick candies 5 cts pound.

Hand mixed candies, 4 pounds 25 cts.

Taffy mixed candies, 7 cts pound.

Fancy creams, 8 cts pound.

New dates, 7 cts pound.

Figs, 7 cts pound.

Raisins, 6 cts pound.

Clean currants, 1 pound carton 7 cts.

Cranberries, 6 cts quart.

Finest and best home mince meat, 2 pounds 15 cts.

Mixed nuts, 10 cts pound.

Pecans, 8 cts pound.

Corsican citron, 15 cts pound.

In addition to above low prices a handsome rebate to every customer. Don't wait for to-morrow. Crowds larger every day.

AMERICAN TEA CO. 116 S. Chestnut St. d18 5t

\$5 will buy a genuine American watch in substantial case, guaranteed at Harding's.

Save money and buy your overcoats at MOSE THE BOSS'.

2t

Cigars, 25 in a box for Christmas presents at Gates'. Also a fine line of pipes and all kinds of smokers articles. d3t

We have a complete line of fine domestic and imported cigars at the low prices.

GATES. d17 d3t

Loer.—Pocketbook containing money and valuable papers. Finder please return to the REPUBLICAN office and be liberally rewarded.

W. F. Bush & Co. have some of the prettiest shoes ever shown and prices are right. dwtf

All kind of Toys cheap at C. R. Hoffman's. d3w1

Our lamps are finer than ever this year but remarkably cheap. d22 d3t

MILHOUS DRUGSTORE.

PERSONALS.

J. E. Richey and wife returned to day to Cambridge City.

Miss Sarah Sawyer, of Columbus, is here the guest of friends.

Rev. T. J. Stevenson is expected home from Petersburg, Ill., in a few days.

Miss Maud Deputy went to-day to Paris to visit her old home and friends.

Miss Lizzie Leffler went this morning to Cincinnati to enjoy Christmas with friends.

A. D. Winger and wife, of Indianapolis, are here to eat Christmas turkey with friends.

Mrs. M. E. Casper, and Miss Stella Casper, of Terre Haute, are visiting friends here.

Henry Lahna and wife returned to-day to Vallonia from a visit to friends at Newport.

Willard Cox and wife came here to-day from Reddington to purchase Christmas goods.

Mrs. Minnie Waldron, and son Charles, left this morning for Blooming ton to spend some time with relatives.

C. M. Scarborough, of Bond Hill, O., J. M. Brown, of Freetown, L. D. Morris, of Indianapolis, are in the city to-day.

Mrs. Lincoln Durland and children of Cincinnati, came here to-day to spend Christmas with their many relatives.

Mrs. Myrtle Davis, of Evansville, having spent a short time here went last evening to North Vernon to visit friends.

Mrs. J. W. Lambertson, of Moore's Hill, is here the guest of her brother, A. D. Eldridge, and family, and other relatives.

J. Ezra Thomas, of Scott county, came here to see his uncle, C. L. Thomas, and was glad to see him looking so well.

Mrs. Harmon Bohner, of Ripley county, came here to-day on her way to Jonesville to spend Christmas with her father, Cord Brand, and family.

Miss Maud Weekly, of Freetown, and Miss Rheued Conner, of Kutz, came here Tuesday to spend the holidays with Mrs. John Klitch, aunt of the latter.

Jesse G. Weekly, who has worked three years in Nebraska, has just returned to Salt Creek township to reside in future. He is satisfied that Nebraska is not the state that he thought.

You will find the finest and up to date line of neck wear at lowest prices at the FAMOUS CLOTHING HOUSE.

Figs, dates, grapes, apples, Hancock's.

FORMALLY ANNOUNCED.

The Marriage of Mr. Russell and Miss Hibner Made Public To-day.

Wednesday evening, December 2, at 8 o'clock, at the home of the bride, by the Rev. Thomas J. Stevenson, Mr. W. B. Russell, of Chicago, and Miss Emma Hibner, of this city, were married.

The wedding was a quiet, pleasant home affair and strictly private, in order to conform to the convenience of some of the relatives who desired to be present, and the wishes of the bride, who is a teacher in our high school, and whose school vacation had not yet begun.

There were present Mr. and Mrs. Len Hibner, Mrs. Martha Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Lett, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Campbell, all relatives of the bride, Mrs. N. A. Handley, of Chicago, mother of the groom, and Miss Jennie Russell, of Louisville, sister of the groom.

BUSINESS NOTES.

F. M. Davis, after a business trip here, returned to day to Scottsburg.

D. M. Spurgeon, of near Hartsville, came to the city to-day on business.

Frank Galbraith, of Columbus, was here yesterday to buy some lumber.

D. M. Perry and wife, of Bedford, came here this morning on business.

The new Masonic Hall at Brownstown will be fully completed this week.

Uncle John Raddish, of Freetown, was a business visitor in the city Tuesday.

Isaac Smith and wife, of Freetown, came to the city Tuesday afternoon on business.

Nathan Newby sold two fat cows weighing 2,900 pounds to L. G. Heins, Tuesday.

John Loran and wife, of near Surprise, drove over to the city last evening to shop.

Mrs. D. W. Dodd and Mrs. John Justis, of Hayden, spent Tuesday in the city on business.

W. D. Weaver and Miss Kittie Weaver, of Bloomington, came here to-day on business.

L. M. Johnson and wife, of Washington county, came here to-day on business and to purchase goods.

Frank Lucas went last evening to Paris to point up the handsome brick residence of Samuel Wright.

William H. Ewing, of Ewing, and William Phifer, of Brownstown, came up to the city to-day on business.

Martin L. Weekly, of Spraytown, and T. D. Cross, of Houston, came here and left this forenoon for Vernon on business.

Frank Boas, a prosperous farmer and an all round good citizen of Vallonia, came up to the city this morning and favored the REPUBLICAN office with a social and business call.

W. D. Bohall, of Brownstown, came up to the city Tuesday on business and he made the REPUBLICAN office a social and business call. Mr. Bohall has been seriously afflicted for several days with sciatic rheumatism.

Teeth without plates and the only medicated air to extract teeth without pain in the county.

DRS. PRALL & CORTELL.

Buckwheat flour, maple syrup and strained honey at

THE ATKINSON GROCERY CO.

House Burned.

The new frame dwelling of John C. Wells, situated at Clearspring, was burned to the ground Sunday night.

Loss, \$600; insured for \$300. Cause of fire not learned.

Save money and buy your overcoats at MOSE THE BOSS'.

2t

George Schwab received a beautiful clock from a friend in Cincinnati yesterday as a Christmas present.

Magic Lanterns, Steam Engines, etc., etc. at C. R. Hoffman's. d3w1t

Dolls and Doll Cabs cheap at C. R. Hoffman's. 22d3w1

If you want a fine stylish hat and an elegant silk umbrella go to the FAMOUS.

Jacob Schultheis and wife came home last night from attending the funeral of her mother, Mrs. Louisa Schmitt. She died with the infirmities of age. Her age was eighty-seven years. She has seven children, fifty grand children and eighteen great grand children.

The Modern Mother

Has found that her little ones are improved more by the pleasant Syrup of Figs, when in need of the laxative effect of a gentle remedy than by any other, and that it is more acceptable to them. Children enjoy it and it benefits them. The true remedy, Syrup of Figs, is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Company only.

Toy Printing Presses, Iron Stoves, Wagons, Cannons at C. R. Hoffman's. dw

NEURALGIA cured by Dr. Miller's PAIN EXPELLER. "One coat a dose." At all druggists.

We are offering special bargains in books, bibles, albums, Christmas cards, souvenirs, fancy bottles, games, buildings and A B C blocks.

SNYDER'S ECONOMY STORE. dwtf

CASTORIA is on every drugstore.

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THE GOLD MINE'S
Phenomenal Sale
OF
Ladies' Misses' and Children's
JACKETS AND CAPES
AT
LESS THAN HALF PRICE!

We received on consignment from one of the largest manufacturers in the East, 500 Garments, comprising the latest Novelties in Ladies', Misses' and Children's Jackets and Capes, with orders to sell them at any price, in order to realize the Cash on same. We have assorted same into 8 lots and cut the price on each lot, TO LESS THAN HALF PRICE.

NOTE THE SCHEDULE

No. 1. Choice of any \$ 3.50 Jacket.....	\$1.75
No. 2. Choice of any 5.00 Cape.....	2.25
No. 3. Choice of any 8.00 Cape and Jacket.....	3.95
No. 4. Choice of any 10.00 Cape and Jacket.....	4.95
No. 5. Choice of any 12.50 Cape and Jacket.....	6.25
No. 6. Choice of any 15.00 Cape and Jacket.....	7.95
No. 7. Choice of any 20.00 Cape and Jacket.....	9.25
No. 8. Choice of any 15.00 to 20.00 Plush Capes.....	8.98

Now is your opportunity to buy a good and stylish Cloak for less than manufacturer's cost. Come early and get first choice.

Attention is Invited to our Fine Display of Holiday Goods.

RESPECTFULLY,

A. STRAUSS & CO.

CHRISTINE

Relieve Neuralgia and Headache, whether arising from Nervousness, Indigestion, Catarrh or other causes. Invaluable for Rheumatic and Lumbago Pains, Sleeplessness, Fever and Colds.

Only 10 Cts. a Package.

Call and look over our stock of Xmas presents. We have the best of goods at

VERY REASONABLE PRICES.

W. F. PETER,

SUCCESSOR TO

J. H. Andrews & Co.

LOOK HERE

DO YOU KNOW IT!

The Seymour Furniture Company,

121 and 123 S. Chestnut St.,

Has the Largest and Best Selected Stock of Furniture of any House in the City, in which they Offer Special Bargains for

Christmas Presents

At Lower Prices than any one else. Come and be convinced.

WM. WILLMAN, Manager.

Married.

This morning at 9:30 o'clock at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Huffman, on East Second street, their daughter, Miss Geneva Huffman, and Mr. Frank A. Bare, of Vincennes, were united in marriage, Rev. J. W. Clevenger, officiating. Only relatives were present. After the ceremony and congratulations an elegant wedding breakfast was served. The bride and groom left on No. 1 for Vincennes, where they will reside.

The finest holiday goods at the lowest prices at the Famous.

Money to Loan and 63 acre farm for sale.

J. BALSLEY. tf

Any of these would make a nice present for Christmas. A pair of nice shoes, ladies or gent's, slippers of all kinds and a nice assortment. Jersey leggings \$1.00 to \$1.25; overgaiters 20 cents to \$1.00; boys leather or corduroy leggings \$1.25 to \$1.40. Call and see them.

W. F. Bush & Co. dwtf

RAILROAD RUMBLINGS

Engineer Frank Evans, of the B. & O., was a guest in the city last night from Washington.

Frank Salgie, of the B. & O. S. W. freight office, and wife and his sister, Mrs. Hattie Wheeler, went to Cincinnati this morning to visit friends.

Engine 145, pulling No. 2 here last evening, broke down here and was run in the shops. Engine 103, with Rol Emory in charge, pulled the train east.

Engineer Lon Pruitt, who was badly injured in a wreck near Cincinnati, December 30, 1895, has so far recovered as to have made one trip this week. He is very sore and thinks he will soon be all right.

Pennsylvania Voluntary Relief.

R. F. Smith, superintendent of the Pennsylvania voluntary relief department, yesterday issued the bulletin for November, which shows that during the month \$2,750 was disbursed on deaths from accident, \$8,750 on deaths from natural causes, \$5,366.75 in disbursement benefits from accident and \$7,172.40 in sickness benefits, making the total disbursements of the month \$24,009.15. During the month 898 members drew benefits. In the eighty-nine months the association has been in operation it has paid in death benefits from accident \$461,589.60, in sickness benefits \$578,560.40, making the grand total of \$1,040,150.00. During the period 76,584 members have drawn benefits, or, in case of death, their legal heirs.

BORN.

A son was born to William Cordes and wife, of Cortland, Sunday, December 19, 1896.

A daughter was born to H. B. Claws and wife, Monday, December 21, 1896.

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